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Rep: Calling all landlords

Wants landlords' help when $3 million Main Street project begins

By Andrea Gregory

Downtown Andover is expecting a multi-million-dollar makeover, but Andover State Rep. Barry Finegold said the construction is not going to take care of all the downtown's blemishes. For that, the landlords need to do their part.

Invitations have been mailed out to more than a dozen Main Street property owners for a meeting to inform the landlords about the state and town plans to redesign Main Street. At the meeting, Finegold also wants to discuss what he believes are the unofficial standards for maintaining downtown property. The gathering will take place next Thursday, Nov. 6 at 8 a.m.

According to Finegold, about 20 to 30 percent of the downtown buildings need some restoration. He believes that is enough to harm the downtown renovation and beautification effort on which the state will spend $2.5 million and Andover Town Meeting has voted to spend another $573,500.

So what is Finegold after? Only a fresh coat of paint and clean entrance ways, he said.

"We're not telling them to make structural changes," he said. "I would like to see this group become more active in the community. I don't think that's a lot to ask."

Finegold said when landlords let the appearance of their building slide, it can stand out as an eyesore to the community.

"There's no excuse for that," he said. "This is more than just an investment for people. It should be more than just an investment, more than just a monthly paycheck."

Finegold said he is not only concerned as a state representative, but as a longtime resident of

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New school over capacity already

Number of theories suggested

By Ben Hellman

Just one year after High Plain Elementary School opened, how did it wind up with more students than it was designed to hold? It depends on who you ask. But no one involved in the redistricting effort of two years ago believes the redistricting plan is flawed. Some suggest parents at highly enrolled schools should wait out what they believe is a temporary crunch.

The idea of trying a "mini-redistricting" has been mentioned by the superintendent to deal with the crowded conditions at High Plain Elementary. But so far the idea has been rejected by parents and educators at that school.

A five-year projection of school enrollments published by the schools business office showed that High Plain Elementary's enrollments will continue to be greater than the school's capacity until 2008. The 2005-06 school year is expected to be the worst, with High Plain being 34 students above capacity.

The townwide redistricting of two years ago was a six-month process, run by a 10-member committee including then-School Committee member Gerry Gustus. Schools Business Manager Bernie Tuttle and former Purchasing and Transportation Coordinator Carol

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PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Annette Grams displays some of the materials used in the last round of redistricting.

Mistress of the macabre

As Halloween approaches, meet an Andover sculptor who's turned making eerie figures into an art form

By Ben Hellman

For an early Halloween treat – or trick – enter the eerie world of sculptor Pat Keck, Andover's honorary queen of creep. A small wooden head with two black holes for eyes stares lifelessly from a shelf above a workbench in her studio. Large wooden limbs lie on another shelf, packed away from an old exhibit. A block of wood with a penciled outline of a torso sits on the floor, waiting for Keck to free it from the block, give it arms, legs and breath life into it.

Keck's pale, lifelike sculptures are part-puppet, part-mannequin. They have delighted and repulsed viewers in town and at major museums. A retrospective of her work, "Puppets, Ghosts and Zombies; The sculpture of Pat Keck" runs at the DeCordova Museum in Lincoln, until Jan 18.

The show has emptied Keck's studio of most of her creations and most of the heads, limbs and extremities that usually litter the walls and floor. Only one sculpture, called "Bat Man," remains *(see sidebar, page 4)*.

Keck is well aware of the effect her work has on some people. A wedding party that was to be held at the DeCordova Museum this fall was thrown into disarray when the bride – who had a phobia of puppets – found Keck's work all over the building. "Apparently it was a real issue," says Keck.

Even animals have taken a fright of Keck's work. A life size wooden zebra Keck created sits in the scrap area of her yard. Keck was commissioned to make it for a schoolyard, but it was returned to her because a persistent vandal kept attacking it. When the zebra took up residence in her yard, an old

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PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Harold Parker Road resident – and sculptor of ghosts and zombies – Pat Keck shows she's a good sport by brandishing her saw and a disembodied head in her workshop. Her pieces above and below are creations of hers that are on display at the DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park.

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Almost time to trick-or-treat

Andover selectmen set this year's trick-or-treat time for Halloween, Friday, Oct. 31 from 5 to 7:05 p.m.

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After 3 years, state strips Andover High of its 2000 swimming championship title

By Andrea Gregory

The Andover Girls Swim team lost its 2000 state championship and now it is facing the loss of one of its swimmers.

Elizabeth Mancuso, a senior at Andover High School, is holding onto her spot on the team by the skin of a lawsuit's teeth. The Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association has ruled that she in not eligible to compete this year after denying a request for a waiver that would have let her stay with the team.

During this process, MIAA also stripped Andover of its 2000 state championship, saying Mancuso should not have competed for the team in 2000, after transfering from Austin Preparatory School.

"I gather she is an outstanding swimmer, obviously," said Paul Wetzel, MIAA media representative, noting she swam for Austin Prep's varsity squad as an eighth-grader.

During Mancuso's freshman year at Austin Prep she swam for the Merrimack Valley Pirates – a swim club the MIAA deems to hold the same status as a varsity team.

According to MIAA regulations, students are allowed to participate in only four years of competition at a varsity level while they are in high school. Wetzel said the year on the Austin Prep swim team does not count since Mancuso was in eighth grade. However, "When she swam for the Pirates she was attempting to

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PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Elizabeth Mancuso (above) is battling the state to continue swimming with Andover High this year. The team has rallied around her in her effort.

Downtown 'gem' needs attention

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

With the state and town looking to put about $3 million into improving the downtown, State Rep. Barry Finegold – while saying many downtown landlords maintain fine properties – is calling on other landlords to spend some money to improve the appearance of their investments. He suggests approving rules that would govern the upkeep of downtown buildings, if necessary.

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Andover with affection for the downtown.

"I feel that the downtown area is a gem, one of the main reasons people come to this town," said Finegold. "I think what we're looking to get are these landlords more involved."

Lisa Schwarz, senior planner and liaison for the Main Street Committee, said it will be an opportunity to "start to brainstorm about best practices."

"Our goal is to make it the most competitive and beautiful it can be," she said about the downtown area.

Schwarz said it's an opportunity to educate the landlords on the Main Street project and the image they would like the downtown to reflect. When it comes to the building that landlords appear to be letting go, she said it may be a case of them not knowing what they have.

"You've got to be careful. You can't tell a building owner fix it or else," she said.

But Finegold just might. There is no guarantee that anyone on the guest list will show up, or that it will have any effect on how property owners maintain their buildings Finegold said if he does not get what he considers a reasonable response, the last resort will be to take action and do what he can to impose regulations, such as creating a downtown historic district. Setting rules for downtown landlords would be possible, Finegold said, though it would require Finegold to work with the Main Street Committee, get selectmen's support and acquire the approval of Town Meeting voters.

"We have to preserve the downtown area," said Finegold. "If we demand more, I think it will be more."

Finegold said he does not want to watch Andover's downtown lose some of its value at the hands of a small number of Andover's landlords.

"Is it nitpicking? Yeah, some people may say that. I just don't think it's a lot to ask," he said. "Everyone has kind of a story on what the downtown has meant. It's a place where this community congregates."

Not so perfect?

Tucker eyes bill to end requirement of perfect attendance for planning

By Andrea Gregory

If a bill being drafted by Andover state Sen. Sue Tucker is approved, communities' Planning Board members will no longer need perfect attendance to vote on an issue.

The bill is still in draft form, and probably will not be addressed until next year, but it's been welcomed by the Andover Planning Board. This summer, the board asked for a change in the state's 100-percent attendance rule, calling it a hardship on it volunteer members.

"It's nice to see government work with that swiftness," said Planning Chairman Paul Salafia. "It's just a draft, and we understand that. If it were to be approved right now, the way it is, I would be happy."

Under current state law, one absence during a public hearing on a topic precludes a municipal Planning Board member from voting on the topic. Members consider this unreasonable because public hearings can last for months, with discussion continuing over the course of several meetings. When granting special permits – most of what Planning Boards are asked to do – a super majority vote is needed, meaning four out of the five board members need to vote for it. It also means there is little room for absences, even with the presence of one associate member.

Sen. Sue Tucker has sent a draft of her bill, which could change the policy, to Salafia. The draft outlines the relief sought by Andover Planning Board members on behalf of all municipal Planning Boards across the Commonwealth. The idea is to offer board members an alternative to attending a meeting, such as watching video or audio tapes of a missed meeting. There is debate regarding how many absences a board member could make up in this fashion and still vote.

"This has been a real team effort," said Tucker, crediting Andover State Reps. Barry Finegold and Barbara l'Italien for their support, among others. "This has statewide impact."

But it is the hometown impact that drove Tucker to take action.

"It's something the community is interested in. Andover's interests are my interests," she said. "(Volunteer board members) really make a community like Andover work and we owe them a huge debt."

The legislative session ends Nov. 19. Tucker said getting the bill finalized by then seems unlikely, but when the Senate resumes in January she plans to continue her effort in full force. Tucker said she would like to see the change enacted quickly, but believes it is more important to get it done correctly.

She said she hoped to change the law "sometime between now and next June."

For the Andover Planning Board, the sooner the change occurs, the better.

Salafia said if any member's term were to end abruptly, the board would be in trouble.

In fact, after officially resigning three months ago, board member Susan Alovisetti elected to stay on the board temporarily to prevent potential problems. Without her, the Andover Planning Board would not have been able to meet the voting standards on more than one project before it.

"That's a luxury we can't always afford," said Salafia. "She's hanging on just by sheer good nature."

Alovisetti will remain with the board through two last votes – on a Marland Street extension and a project called Pine Forest Park, planned on Andover land off Flash Road in North Reading.

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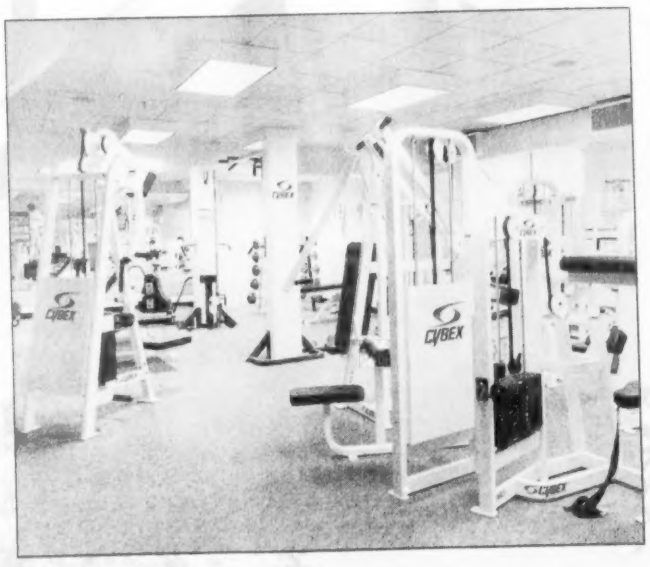

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Get your word out in the upcoming Town Directory

The *Townsman* will publish the 2003 Town Directory & Newcomers Guide next Thursday, Nov. 6.

The section will include information on town officials and town offices, and also will have a listing of clubs and non-profit organizations in Andover, such as the Newcomers Club, Andona Society, senior-citizen organizations, etc. Each organization is invited to send in a press release of four sentences that includes the name of the club, purpose, and who may be contacted for more information.

The information is due today, Thursday, Oct. 30 by 5 p.m.

Send the information to 33 Chestnut St., Andover 01810; or send it by e-mail to Neil Fater at nfater@andovertownsman.com – or fax it to 978-470-2819.

Important note:

Organizations that have been listed in past directories should send updated information to be included in the section.

Have questions? Call editor Neil Fater or assistant editor Jack Grady at 978-475-7000.

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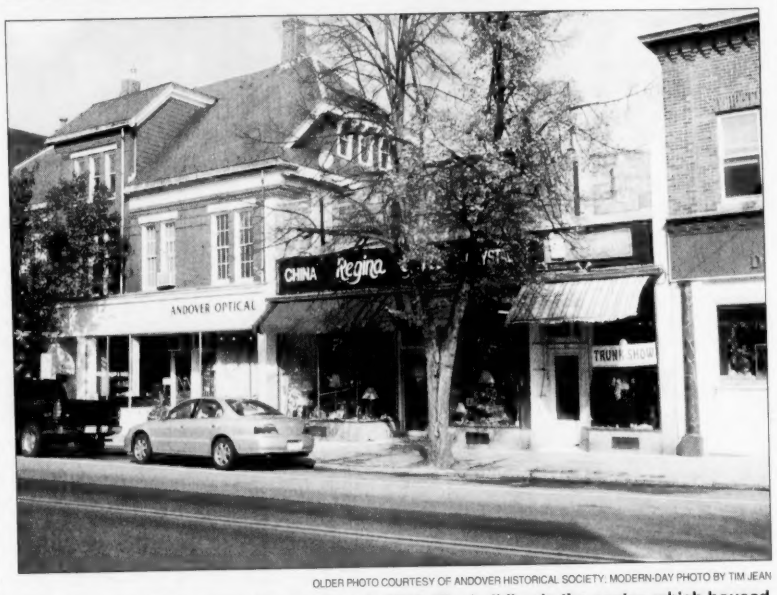

OLDER PHOTO COURTESY OF ANDOVER HISTORICAL SOCIETY. MODERN-DAY PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

The top photo shows downtown Andover in 1936. The building in the center, which housed Petersen's Men's Shop and John's Barber Shop, was demolished in August of that year to make room for the new Woolworth 5 and 10 store. The bottom photo shows how the same area looked last week.

Salute to veterans

The Merrimack Valley Chapter of the American Red Cross will hold its annual Salute to Veterans breakfast at the Wyndham Hotel in Andover at 7:30 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 3. Tickets are $15 for veterans and $25 for the general public. This year's theme is "Honoring The Life Savers and Care Givers". The guest speaker will be Lt. Col. Dr. Carl Danielson, an Army Reserve surgeon from North Andover who recently returned from combat duty in Iraq with the First Armored Division. Three local men, Tom Haugh and Tony Cuticchia of Andover and Andy Bernard of Methuen, all of whom won the Silver Star for heroism while serving as medics and corpsmen, and Lt. Col. Edith Sheridan, a career Army nurse, will be honored.

For more information or to purchase tickets, call Gary Whitten or Alison Forsythe at 978-372-6871.

Military band concerts at the Collins Center

The town of Andover veterans services office announces the following concerts at the Collins Center at Andover High School: Wednesday, Nov. 12, U.S. Navy Band of the Northeast, 7 p.m.; Monday, Dec. 8, U.S. Air Force Band of Liberty - Christmas Concert, 7 p.m.; Sunday, March 28, U.S. Army Field Band and Chorus, 1 p.m.

Tickets for all concerts will be available two weeks prior to the event and are free. For more information, call John Doherty at 978-623-8218.

Quote, unquote . . .

THE TOWN HAS A WAY OF DRIVING UP COSTS that could possibly be an art form. Try not to cost us any more money.

– Larry Larsen, Andover Youth Foundation leader, after the town's Planning Board made some suggestions about the proposed plans for a new youth center. AYF is raising the money privately to pay for the center, which will be given to the town once it is built. **(Story, page 5)**

News Calendar

Thursday, Oct. 30

Andover Contributory Retirement Board, Town Offices, third floor, 9 a.m.

Pay As You Throw Committee, Town Offices, third floor, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 31

Revenue Enhancement Committee, School Administration Building conference room A, 7:30 a.m.

Monday, Nov. 3

Revenue Enhancement Committee, School Administration Building conference room A, 6:30 a.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 4

Vision 21 Committee, Town Offices, second floor, 7:30 p.m.

Pay As You Throw Committee, Town Offices, second floor, 7:30 p.m.

Conservation Commission, Town Offices, third floor, 7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 5

School Committee, executive session, School Administration Building, superintendent's conference room, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 6

Council on Aging, Town Offices, second floor, 6 p.m.

Zoning Board of Appeals, Memorial Hall Library, second floor, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 8

Zoning Board of Appeals, Deliberation Meeting, Memorial Hall Library, second floor, 9 a.m.

November clinics

The Andover Health Department will offer mini clinics on Monday, Nov. 3 from 2 to 3 p.m. at Andover Commons, and on Monday, Nov. 17 from 1 to 2 p.m. at Frye Circle. Senior-center clinics will be held 2 to 3 p.m. each Wednesday, Nov. 5, 12, 19 and 26. No appointment is necessary.

The first of three flu clinics for Andover residents is scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 13, from 3:30 to 6 p.m., at the Andover High School Field House Gym.

Correction

The phone number listed in the article "An immigrant's tale" in the Oct. 9 *Townsman* was incorrect. The article was about a group creating a film on the stories of Andover residents who came to the country as immigrants.

Seniors interested in taking part in the television program can contact Judy Trerotola at 978-475-4152.

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Pat Keck's spooky world

PHOTOS FROM A DECORDOVA MUSEUM PUBLICATION ON PAT KECK'S CURRENT EXHIBIT

At left, resident Pat Keck gets in costume to appear as one of her own creations. At right is one of her creations, called "Watchman."

■ **HALLOWEEN**

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horse she kept was spooked by it. "He was really freaked out by it. We actually had to cover it with a tarp," says Keck.

Keck says she doesn't get nervous working alone with her staring creations all around. "I tend to like creepy things," she says. "It's just doing things that I like." She admits to sometimes treating them like they are alive. "At a certain point, you do start talking to them," she says.

Yet Keck will not be around to playfully spook neighborhood kids this Halloween. She has plans to see her favorite band, the Tiger Lillies, perform live in North Adams. Keck says her parents, with whom she lives, usually answer the door for neighborhood trick-or-treaters.

What scares Keck? Quite a lot, she says. "Sometimes I think (my art) is a way of dealing with (my) fears," says Keck. As a kid it took her five tries before she could sit through the movie The *Wizard of Oz*, and 10 times before she got through *Psycho*. She would run from the room when she heard the *Twilight Zone* theme song.

What else? "Clowns are scary, Disney figures – I don't like those things," she says. Keck says she was scared when she saw people wearing Mickey Mouse or other suits or just people with their faces covered. "That's not Mickey Mouse, that's some guy in a suit, maybe sticking his tongue out at you," she says.

Keck says her mother traces Keck's macabre art work back to a doll she wouldn't get her as a child.

Keck grew up admiring the cartoons of Charles Addams, creator of *The Addams Family* comics. When she was a girl, she begged her mother for a Morticia Addams doll, but her mother wouldn't acquiesce. Keck says her mother believes Keck's life's work is revenge for not getting her the doll.

Bat Man's revenge

The lone complete sculpture left in Pat Keck's workshop as Halloween approaches is "Bat Man," a small, wooden, puppet-like figure on a platform who holds a wooden bat over his head. "Bat Man" looks down at viewers waiting for them to step on the foot pedal at the sculpture's base.

Given that many of Keck's sculptures move or interact with the viewer in spooky or humorous ways, it's little surprise that the clown-like character uses the bat to deliver a sharp crack to the head of someone if they step down hard on the pedal.

The DeCordova Museum, where most of Keck's works are now showing, decided against showing "Bat Man" at the exhibition, not wanting patrons to fall prey to Keck's mischievous sense of humor. The sculpture has been bought and the museum's decision only increased the value of the sculpture to the buyer, says Keck. "He's been bragging that his piece is too dangerous for the show," says Keck.

– Ben Hellman

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Pat Keck gives and gets a tap from "Bat Man."

Trick or (healthier) treat!

Wild Oats offers in-store promotion, treat alternatives

By Andrea Gregory

Wild Oats, at 40 Railroad St., is inviting little ghosts and goblins to come say "trick-or-healthier-treat" at the store on Halloween from 2 to 4 p.m.

This does not mean kids will leave with a bag of lettuce. Lorrie Castelli, community marketing coordinator for Wild Oats, says the store will simply offer treats that are more healthful than the traditional candy.

Wild Oats will have a handful of stations set up around the store and manned by employees in costume. They will hand out samples of healthy alternatives to traditional candy treats. Castelli explains candy is candy, so why not let kids eat the ones that are better for them.

"Well, what a fun thing to do," she says. "It's an alternative way to have something good and good for you."

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Lorrie Castelli of Wild Oats supermarket displays a basket of more healthful Halloween treats.

Trick-or-treaters will gather goodies with names such as Pirate's Booty, Fruit Leather, Sundrops and Sunspire.

Sundrops are like M&Ms, but without the bright colors. Fruit Leather is the 100-percent natural version of a Fruit Roll-up. Pirate's Booty is similar to popcorn and comes in different flavors. Sunspire is a tiny caramel treat. Castelli says exactly what treats they will be handing out is still a surprise, but these are among the options, and are available for residents to hand out from their own doorstep. They all come individually packaged, and range in price from 39 cents to $3.99 a pound.

"It's nice to be able to choose these alternatives," she says.

She says child obesity is "such a hot button issue," and the store seeks to provide nutrition education.

Though kids of all ages are welcome, Castelli expects the early times will bring in a young crowd. "Those are the kids that usually can't stay up as late," she says.

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KEEPING SAFE OCT. 31

Halloween is notorious for its endless tricks and treats. To ensure a night of fun that has more treats than tricks, follow these Halloween safety tips:

Trick or Treaters:

- Carry a flashlight. This allows you to see and be seen by others
- Always walk on sidewalks. If sidewalks are not available walk facing traffic
- Wear comfortable shoes that fit (even if they don't go with the costume).
- Costumes should not drag on the ground.
- Avoid wearing masks that obstruct vision
- Wear clothing with reflective markings or tape
- Remain in a group, don't wander off alone
- Stay in familiar neighborhoods
- Approach only houses that are lit

Parents:

- Ideally, young children of any age should be accompanied by an adult
- If your children go alone, be sure they wear a watch, preferably one that can be read in the dark
- Plan a route with your children before departure, even if you are accompanying them
- Although tampering is rare, tell children to bring the candy home to be inspected before consuming anything

Homeowners:

- Make sure yards are clear of things that could trip visitors, including ladders, hoses, dog leashes and flower pots
- Battery-powered jack o'lantern candles are preferable to using a real flame.
- If using candles, place the pumpkin well away from where people will be walking or standing.
- Law enforcement authorities should be notified immediately of any suspicious or unlawful activity.

– Jaclyn Todisco
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Open Houses

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Some of Andover kids' most common candy purchases, according to local shops.

Andover's favorites

What trick-or-treaters in town might be most happy to see tossed in their sacks

By Andrea Gregory

Halloween will certainly satisfy the candy cravings of many young residents. But what is the favorite treat of Andover? We asked the experts – not the kids, the store owners who see what candy sells here.

The results were mixed.

While some stores said traditional chocolate bars still rule the counter, others said a new taste has kids reaching for their change.

"Laffy Taffy and Nerds, those are our biggest candies, really," said Lori Kelley, behind the counter at the Andover Spa on Elm Street.

According to Kelley, gummy, chewy, fruity flavors are in. A big seller among Andover youth is Nerds Rope, a foot-long strip of red gummy-bear-style filling generously covered in a rainbow of tart and tiny Nerds candies.

About a year ago, the Andover Spa started shelving Nerds Rope on a trial basis. Kelley said it now looks as though the new candy has a home in Andover and a popularity that makes it worth keeping on the shelves.

She said it shows a change in the times. In her youth, Kit Kats and other chocolate bars were the choice candy.

"Gummy and chewy. It isn't your typical Hershey's," she said. "It's almost like chocolate died out. Well, maybe not died, but it took second place to the gummy and chewy."

Laffy Taffy fits right in with what the Spa sees as a growing candy trend, thanks to its difficult-to-chew quality. Kids can stretch the sweet or tart flavored taffy as far as their arms can reach before breaking off a bite size piece to gnaw on. One of the best parts: small size Laffy Taffy is available for 10 cents as part of the Andover Spa's 5 and 10 cents candy line.

Based on what the Spa sells, Kelley may think she has seen Andover kids' No. 1 choice for a treat. However, when it comes to selling candy that will be given away to the neighborhood kids, what usually sells is simply what is on sale, according to Michele McLeod, assistant manager at Brooks Pharmacy in Shawsheen Plaza.

McLeod said individually wrapped peanut butter cups are always sought after around Halloween.

Another holiday favorite, "Candy corn. We're out of them," she said on Monday.

Even in the absence of candy corn, the Halloween aisle looked pretty well stocked at the beginning of the week. McLeod said Halloween is a last minute holiday. "People grab whatever then," she said, expecting the shelves to look pretty bare by Friday night.

Over at the Grocery Bag on Haverhill Street, Jon Howie, 15, said Snickers and Milky Way are the top sellers. "It's pretty close," he said.

Though Howie said he has been working in the store for only a few months, as the son of Grocery Bag owner George Howie he has had plenty of time to pay attention to what types of candy fly off the shelves.

"I've been here since I was 4," he said.

George Howie agreed with his son's call on the best selling candies, but added the classic M&Ms needed to be thrown into the sugary mix.

Planning sees three issues with youth-center plans

By Andrea Gregory

Seeing the designs for Andover's new youth center on Tuesday, the Planning Board pinpointed three areas of concern - traffic, parking and zoning.

Plans for the center have been filed by Andover Youth Foundation, a private organization that is raising the money to pay for construction, will build the center and then give it to the town.

The plans show the proposed location for the new youth center near the West Fire Station The youth center, as proposed, is accessible from both Chandler and Greenwood roads. Though the board was provided with traffic-study information and accident information that indicated the issue currently seems minor, members were thinking ahead as to the number of vehicles the center would attract.

"It's almost as though they've created a problem by making such a nice facility," said Vincent Chiozzi, Planning Board member, about the 31,319 square foot youth center with a gymnasium and auditorium, complete with a stage and rock-climbing wall.

"What we don't want to do is open this and have people say, 'How did this ever get approved?'"

VINCENT CHIOZZI
PLANNING BOARD MEMBER

Parking

A joint lot is to be created for both youth center and fields use. The youth center plans would add 99 additional spaces to the 115 available now. The board is concerned about whether this would be enough if two events overlapped, such as a Little League baseball game and a dance.

"I think there's a concern that if the two worlds collide, we would have a situation," said Paul Salafia, Planning Board Chairman.

Would 214 spaces be adequate to handle parking for more than one event?

"What you don't want to do is open this and have people say, 'how did this ever get approved?'" said Chiozzi.

Board members said they would like to see an area where additional parking could be created in the future.

However, such an addition could offset the proposed drainage plan and the proposed layout of the site. It could also mean a trip back to the Conservation Commission, even though the commission has already approved the plan as is.

"The town has a way of driving up cost that could possibly be an art form," said Larry Larsen, from AYS. "Try not to cost us any more money."

Zoning

The site for the youth center is zoned for residential use. The Planning Board questioned how that was being handled and how this fact would affect its deliberations.

"What they are proposing as a private entity is not allowed," said Steve Colyer, planning director, meaning it would require a variance from the zoning board.

"There's basically three ways to skin the zoning cat," said Bob Lavoie, AYF lawyer.

Lavoie told the board AYF could ask for a zoning variance. It could attempt to excuse the need for a variance under the Dover Amendment, because the center will be of educational use. Or the board could rule the building will have no use to AYF, since once it is finished it will become a municipal facility.

"The written agreement is to construct this building, at which point our rights cease," said Lavoie. "The land really doesn't have a use. Until the building is put into use, it's basically just a build site."

Salafia said he would like Tom Urbelis, town counsel, to weigh in on the best way for the board to approach the zoning issue.

"This is a private issue," said Mary Carbone, of 3 Cyr Circle, who asked the board to remember to treat the center as it would another private plan.

Carbone also expressed concerns about whether the town could afford to run the youth center after it is built. The Planning Board said it will not be factoring the effect on town taxes into its decision.

"It's really not a private issue because any conditions we impose, the town is going to have to live with," said John McDonnell, associate board member.

"We want to look at every possibility to get this done and done right, but we need to examine it," said Salafia.

"It's going. It's never going fast enough as far as we're concerned. We wanted it up yesterday," said Bill Fahey, director of Andover Youth Services, on his way out of the meeting. "It's exciting to see the community talking about the building, and I think we should get it done ASAP."

The board will continue discussion on Dec. 9 at 7:30 p.m. in Town Offices.

Medical boards punish doctor because of records

Doctor says his offense amounts to poor penmanship

By Meir Rinde

Psychiatrist Jonathan S. Weiss has been punished by state medical boards in Massachusetts and New Hampshire – not for harming a patient or committing a crime, but for an offense he argues amounts to little more than having bad handwriting.

The Massachusetts Board of Registration in Medicine censured Weiss last week and ordered him to take courses on medical record-keeping, citing a New Hampshire finding that he failed to maintain complete records for six patients and failed to keep records of patient exams.

He also kept patient records that were "not entirely legible" for the six records the New Hampshire Board of Medicine examined, according to legal documents provided by the Massachusetts board.

"The whole story is rather unbelievable," said Weiss, who works at Hampstead Hospital in Hampstead, N.H., and from his home office in Andover. "There was no patient complaint, no allegation of wrongdoing."

New Hampshire Assistant Attorney General Marguerite Wageling said the case was handled no differently than other cases, and noted Weiss had competent legal counsel to fight the charges.

Weiss said he has never heard of a doctor being punished for writing illegibly, and a veteran Andover psychiatrist, Henry C. Everett, said he was appalled that a board would investigate a doctor's notes.

But illegibility has been an issue in past cases that also involved other record-keeping problems, said Pamela J. Wood, general counsel and deputy director of the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Medicine. "It was not simply a matter of legibility," Wood said. "It was a failure to maintain complete records for six different patients, which is quite serious. We take maintenance of proper medical records very seriously."

The New Hampshire board first saw Weiss' records during a 1997 investigation of another

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Getting healthy on Halloween

■ ALTERNATIVES

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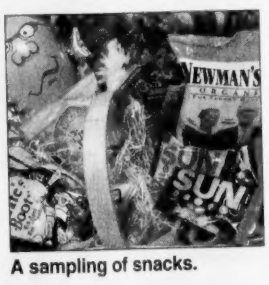
According to Castelli, parents of younger children are usually more health conscious about their kids' food, and the kids have not yet developed a love for junk food.

"They haven't quite got to the McDonalds stage of their lives," she says.

"We're dedicated to the community more than we ever have been," says Bob Quinn, store director, adding the Halloween event is in line with the approach the store represents. "You're not putting any poisons into your system when you're eating these."



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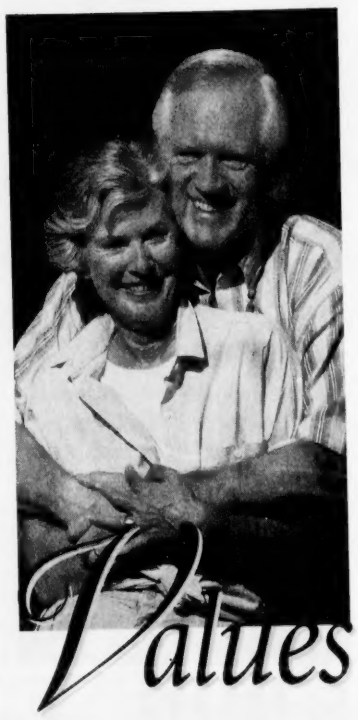

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POLICE LOG

ARRESTS

Wednesday, Oct. 22 – At 3:04 p.m., William Lacombe, 44, of 28 Story St., Essex, was arrested and charged with possession of heroin, possession of a hypodermic needle and driving with a suspended license.

At 8:13 p.m., Patrick Gauro, 30, of 18 Marion Ave., Woburn, was arrested and charged with possession of heroin and possession of a hypodermic needle.

At 10:33 p.m., Emillio Vasquez, 22, of 48 Rainbow Drive, Bradford, was arrested and charged with driving with a suspended license.

Thursday, Oct. 23 – At 4:31 p.m., Samuel Muchai, 36, of 24 6th St., Lowell, was arrested and charged on a warrant for a domestic assault and battery.

Friday, Oct. 24 – At 12:11 p.m., Timothy Hardacre, 29, of 477 Stevens St., North Andover, was arrested and charged with being caught driving without a license a subsequent time, driving an uninsured, unregistered car and having a miscellaneous equipment violation.

At 12:56 p.m., Jefferson Dasilva, 23, of 1861 Middlesex St., Lowell, was arrested and charged with driving without an inspection sticker and driving with a revoked license.

Saturday, Oct. 25 – At 12:54 p.m., Cesar Porres, 28, of 91 May St., Lawrence, was arrested and charged with driving without a license and without an inspection sticker.

At 10:07 p.m., Richard Lewis, 46, of 71 Arcadia St., Revere, was arrested and charged with possession of cocaine.

At 10:40 p.m., Enrico Paone, 36, of 314 Winthrop St., was arrested and charged with possession of cocaine.

At 10:57 p.m., Jessica Nowlan, 35, of 29 Parish St., Everett, was arrested and charged with possession of cocaine.

Sunday, Oct. 26 – At 1:26 a.m., Matthew Orszulak, 21, of 93 Meadow Road, Keene, N.H., was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct.

At 1:47 a.m., Corey Bell, 19, of 27 Meadow Road, Swanzey, N.H., was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct.

THEFTS

Monday, Oct. 27 – At 10:32 a.m., money was reported possibly stolen on Haverhill Street.

At 3:42 p.m., a mother reported her daughter's compact disc player stolen from her backpack.

At 4:50 p.m., an Andover High School student reported her purse stolen from her locker.

At 6:03 p.m., a girl working at Market Basket reported having a problem with another girl at school and that the girl was waiting outside with four friends, boys and girls, to beat her up when she left work.

Tuesday, Oct. 28 – At 11:51 a.m., a theft that occurred three to four weeks ago was reported at Southridge Circle.

At 3:04 p.m., a computer was reported stolen from Doherty Middle School.

BREAKS

Monday, Oct. 27 – At 10:04 a.m., a South Main Street resident reported a house break that occurred during the previous week.

Tuesday, Oct. 28 – At 2:35 p.m., a house on Sherry Drive was reported broken into.

INCIDENTS

Wednesday, Oct. 22 – At 10:29 a.m., a sex offense was reported on North Main Street. The Andover Police Department does not release information about sex offenses.

At 11:35 a.m., a Linda Road resident locked herself out of her home with her infant inside. An officer opened the door.

Thursday, Oct. 23 – At 4:03 p.m., Royal Jewelers reported two men with black jackets were acting suspiciously. An officer said they weren't acting suspiciously. He spoke with the manager and agreed to stay there in case anything did happen.

Saturday, Oct. 25 – At 2:44 a.m., a sex offense was reported on Millstone Circle. The Andover Police Department does not release information about sex offenses.

From 9:30 a.m. to 10:14 a.m., seven mailboxes were reported vandalized on Lovejoy Road, Wabanaki Way and Algonquin Avenue.

Saturday, Oct. 25 – At 6:27 p.m., a little girl on Moreland Street called from home because she couldn't find her mother in the house. The mom was upstairs and the two were reunited.

At 10:13 pm., an officer stopped two youths from rearranging the letters on the sign in front of West Elementary.

Tuesday, Oct. 28 – At 7:44 p.m., a 15-year-old girl who took 24 sleeping pills was transported to the hospital.

AUTO INCIDENTS

Thursday, Oct. 23 – At 7:21 a.m., a Washington Avenue resident reported his car broken into during the night and items stolen.

At 7:26 a.m., an Avon Street resident reported his car broken into overnight and his radio taken.

At 8:35 a.m., a Westwind Road resident reported her car broken into and items taken.

Saturday, Oct. 25 – At 9:56 p.m., a car was reported broken into overnight on Fox Hill Road.

VANDALISM

There were nine reports of vandalism.

– COMPILED BY BEN HELLMAN

'Standard of legibility' not met

■ **DOCTOR**

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doctor and gave him a warning, according to board documents. In 2000 they heard and dismissed a patient complaint against him, but saw the same illegibility problems and the following year decided to press a case against him.

At hearings in April and May 2002, Weiss and his lawyer had two doctors testify on his behalf and submitted written reports from four others saying his records were usable and adequate, though hard to read. State lawyers relied on Dr. David Schopick, a psychiatrist and expert witness hired by the board, as well as reports from four other doctors saying Weiss' records had problems.

The board ultimately fined him $2,400 for having six sets of inadequate records. This month Massachusetts followed standard procedure and, without holding any further hearings, accepted the New Hampshire decision and imposed further sanctions on Weiss.

"They imposed a standard of what they called legibility that was unrealistic," Weiss said of the New Hampshire board. "For example, there's a doctor who covers for me, and he has no problem looking at my notes and seeing what he needs to do."

Everett, a psychiatrist for 41 years, said he was alarmed by the precedent of a state medical board looking at a doctor's private records of a patient's dreams and thoughts, and his own reflections on those thoughts.

"That's scary," said Everett, who does not know Weiss. "I hope they don't come after my notes, because they'll find them illegible. I'd probably have to rewrite them to satisfy snoopy agencies.

"So the confidential notes he writes have to be written so anybody can read them? That blows my mind."

Schopick said he could not comment on the case without the consent of the New Hampshire Board of Medicine.

Dr. Thomas G. Gutheil, a professor of psychiatry at Harvard Medical School, said it is important for doctors to keep clear "progress notes" that are separate from their private jottings, in case another physician has to take over their work, or a patient sues.

"Hospitals have certain rules about it," said Gutheil, the author of a handbook on psychiatry and the law. "(The notes) have to be available to the outside world."

BEYOND THE AMBER ALERT

Police advice to prevent child abductions

In a recent survey released by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC) and ADVO Inc., more than one-third of the parents polled did not know the height, weight, and eye color of all their children – three of the most essential details required by investigators in missing children cases. It is strongly advised that parents or guardians know this information and maintain a file with fingerprints, dental records, and even DNA samples from their children.

"The first few hours after a child has been abducted are without question the most vital in recovering that child," says Brian J. Pattullo, Andover police chief. "That's why it's imperative for parents to keep on hand clear, recent photographs of their children, as well as an up-to-date list of physical data."

Chiefs of police, working from guidelines set forth by The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, has established safety tips for both parents and children to reduce the threat of child abductions:

Tips for Parents

• Make sure children know their address, home telephone number, and any other numbers that will enable them to reach their parents at all times. In the event parents are not accessible, provide them with a number of a trusted relative or friend. Make sure they know how to call 9-1-1 in an emergency only.

• Ensure children are familiar with their neighborhood and are aware how to get home from school and other locations. Know their schedules and set boundaries in regard to locations and times.

• Warn kids about approaching or entering any vehicle, occupied or not, unless they are accompanied by parents or another trusted adult.

• Keep lines of communication open. Instruct children on how to get out of dangerous or uncomfortable situations right away, and practice role-playing.

• Be careful when putting names on clothing, backpacks, lunch boxes or bicycle license plates. A first initial only with last name is advisable. If a child's name is visible, it may put them on a "first name" basis with a potential abductor.

• Carefully choose babysitters, tutors, and workers at home. Always obtain references.

Tips for Children

• Always check first with your parents or the person in charge before going anywhere, even if it's close by and even if you're with a friend. If you miss a bus, tell a teacher or your principal.

• Don't be fooled by adults who offer special treats or gifts, or ask for help or directions. Adults do not need help from children. Don't go near, or get into any car with someone you do not know – unless you are with your parent or a trusted adult.

• Never go alone to the mall, movies, arcades or parks – or into a public restroom by yourself.

• Don't be afraid to say "No" and get away from any situation or person that makes you feel uncomfortable or confused. If someone acts forcefully with you, scream loudly for help.

• When you're home alone, keep all doors locked. Don't open the door for anyone unless the person is a trusted family friend or relative. Never tell callers that your parents aren't home.

Workers injured after fall

Two men fall from second story to ground

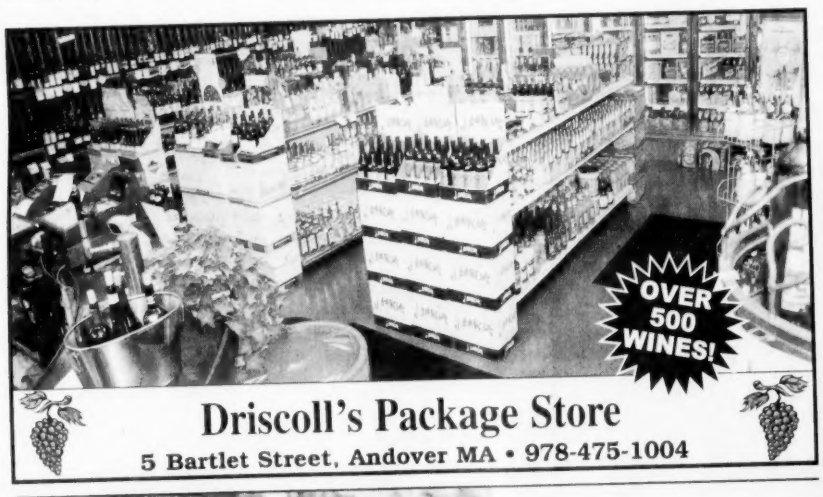
By Ben Hellman

Two workers were injured Monday afternoon while working on an Andover home when a platform they were working on collapsed, dropping them 15 feet to the ground. They suffered head and leg injuries. They were transported to Lawrence General Hospital for treatment.

Robert Young of Saugus and Richard Langell of Georgetown were doing framing work on a home on Lovejoy Road just before 2:30 p.m. when the scaffolding they were standing on became disconnected from the side of the house. The men fell from the second floor to the ground.

Police reported the men were both bleeding from injuries to their heads, but were conscious when police got to the scene. At least one of the men injured his ankles and legs.

The men were registered as working for Don Langell, police said. The area was later taped off and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration is investigating the accident.



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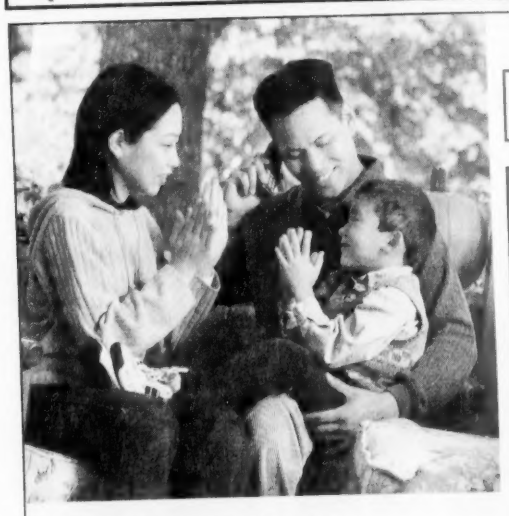
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Opinion

Cheers for sharing stories

SWEEPING AN ISSUE UNDER THE RUG OFTEN only lets it continue to grow in the dark. That's why, when people are willing to share a difficult circumstance in the hopes of preventing others from facing the same problem, they deserve praise.

Last week, mom Kathy McCurdy wrote a letter calling attention to the destructive parties that some police say occur almost every weekend. Her house was affected by such a party, and she has joined a small list of parents willing to shed light on this issue. Each year a new group of parents seem surprised to find that these parties are so widespread, in part thanks to the use of cellular phones. Often parents learn about them by suffering damages, or having a child arrested. If enough courageous parents and students speak out, perhaps the problem can be curbed.

In a similar way, Tom McLaughlin has done a service by telling his story, on page 8 this week. His willingness to speak about how his family has dealt with his mother being diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease lets others know they are not alone. It might encourage more people to attend a talk with Dr. Sanford Auerbach, a national Alzheimer's expert, who can speak about the illness and the latest research. In this way, families of those with Alzheimer's will find others who can understand their situation.

Such discussions help people to feel a greater part of their community – and help them to improve the town by addressing their problems together.

UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Andover's Skate Park will close for the season after this Sunday, Nov. 2. On Tuesday, Alex Cole showed how he does a "backside air" on one of the park's quarter pipes.

Web question

What's the worst Halloween treat?

Last week's *Townsman* Web-site question was: Andover Youth Services wants to use Old Town Hall as a temporary youth center until the new center in West Andover is built. Is this a good idea?

106 people voted.

• 67, or 63 percent, said, "Yes, kids need a place to hang around after school. Old Town Hall is a central location where kids can be watched by the community."

• 7, or 7 percent, said, "Yes, kids say don't like to socialize in Town Offices where youth services currently resides."

• 23, or 22 percent, said, "No, downtown Main Street is a bad place to encourage lots of kids to congregate because it is heavily congested with traffic after school. It will be dangerous for kids, and traffic will only get worse with parents traveling over there to pick up and drop off."

• 8, or 8 percent, said, "No, it will disrupt downtown businesses."

• 1, or 1 percent, said, "Other."

This week's Web-site question is for all trick-or-treat goers, past and present: **What is or was your least favorite kind of treat to have dropped into your Halloween candy sack?**

• Raisins or other "healthier treats." This day is supposed to be about candy, not dried fruits.

• Change. You can't eat pennies, nickels and dimes – or buy a candy bar without a lot of them nowadays.

• A toothbrush. Almost everyone already has a toothbrush, and what kid is in a rush to get the taste of candy out of their mouth?

• Candy corn.

• Black licorice and candy that tastes like it.

• Baked goods. Nice idea, but unless the family knows the person, it will probably go to waste, in the interest of safety. Few parents allow their children to eat something that is not packaged.

• Pencils or other similar items.

• Kids should just be glad so many people open their doors to them each year.

• Other.

To cast a vote, surf to www.andovertownsman.com.

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LETTERS

Andover Peace Park as name?

Editor, *Townsman:*

Recent articles in the *Townsman* have noted suggestions that Andover should create a space to honor local veterans of World War II. I support such a move. With the current occupant of the White House cutting benefits to veterans and closing the best local veterans' hospital, it is especially appropriate that we honor the brave men and women who have fought for our country.

We presently have Memorial Hall Library, dedicated to Civil War soldiers, as well as veterans' memorials in Elm Square and at the corner of School and Central streets. Eventually we will need appropriate spaces to honor veterans of Korea, Vietnam, Grenada, Kosovo, Afghanistan, Gulf Wars I and II and all other wars, declared and undeclared.

There has also been discussion of naming the town park at the corner of Chestnut and Bartlet streets for the World War II veterans. I do not feel that this is an appropriate space for such a tribute. The Park is a peaceful place where children play, families have picnics, concerts are held, pancake breakfasts are enjoyed and Clown Town and craft fairs take place.

If we do choose to rename the Park, a more fitting name would be Andover Peace Park. This would be in honor of Jesus, Ghandi, Martin Luther King, Nelson Mandela, the Dalai Lama and many others who sought peaceful means of addressing human conflict. It could also honor persons in Andover who have worked for peace and justice, including those who helped in the "Underground Railway" to help free slaves, those who spoke out against the witchcraft hysteria that took place here and those who worked (and still work) in the civil rights movement and other social justice endeavors. It could also honor those who spoke out – and still speak out today – against wars they believed were unjust, even at the risk of being vilified by fellow citizens.

So let us honor our veterans and war dead with a suitable, dignified space. But let us also honor those courageous people who work for peace and justice.

Martin Klein
4 Old South Lane

About 'Thursday File'

Steve MacDowall started the file on the Internet. The Web site for his creation is www.hudsonvanloo.ca and it suggests books to read and offers quotations such as the ones on this page.

Mr. No Head and Halloween

Neil Fater

At some point every kid reaches that special age: too cool to go trick-or-treating, too young to not miss the candy-collecting. And too young not to miss the fun they had running around in the dark with their friends.

I reached that point around the age of 11 or 12.

But as Halloween approached, I thought of a way to occupy my time. I filled some old clothes with grass and leaves and created a scarecrow. I sat the body in a chair on my family's porch. Then I took a *papier-maché* head I had made in school and put the head in one of the scarecrow's hands. The head had a hole in the top, and I filled it with candy and put some more sugary loot in the scarecrow's shirt pockets.

Finally, I grabbed two old, portable intercoms my family hadn't used in years. They were like gigantic, clunky walkie-talkies. I put one of these intercoms inside the scarecrow, and brought the other one into the house to talk into. I figured I could scare some people by making Mr. No Head seem come to life and speak to them.

When kids came to my front door to get candy on Halloween, I had the beheaded scarecrow surprise them.

I'd say witty things to the older kids such as "Don't touch that pumpkin, you jerk!" Or, "Come back here with my head!"

Or, to the younger kids, "Reach into my big, *papier-maché* head and get some candy."

I guess some kids came back more than once to see what the guy on the porch would say.

All in all, it was an OK Halloween, especially since there was supply of candy available most of the night. But my experiment didn't end with Allhallows' Eve.

The next morning, my mom shook me awake. A little boy from the neighborhood was back on our porch, wondering why the leafy guy with no head wouldn't answer him anymore. So I went downstairs, turned on the intercom and talked to the boy.

And talked to him. And said a little more. The kid really wanted to have a conversation with the pile of grass clippings.

Finally, I decided it was time to pull the plug. I went outside, looked the boy straight in the eye and told him the truth.

"He can't talk anymore because the magic of Halloween is over," I said.

The boy seemed to accept this as reasonable, and went home happily enough. At least until he was 11 or 12 and too cool for trick-or-treating. Although, for some of us, I guess there will always be a little bit of magic left in Halloween.

Neil Fater is editor of the Andover Townsman. He can be reached by e-mail at nfater@andovertownsman.com.

Move AYS downtown, where we should want kids

Editor, *Townsman:*

Andover Youth Services seeks to move to a vacated space on the ground floor of the Old Town Hall, until a planned youth center is built.

Located on Main Street, the Old Town Hall is a place scores of middle school age kids congregate now. Andover Youth Services significantly influences and impacts this age group. The wish to move exemplifies Director Bill Fahey's approach to youth-driven programming, advocacy and outreach. Andover Youth Services has proven itself successful operating out of a cramped location on the top floor of Town Offices on Bartlett Street. The move would expose this department to even more young people, some of whom might never seek out its current location.

A building that is historic does not mean it is "fragile," as suggested by the town manager. It means it is highly valued by the community and should be treated with respect. Old Town Hall has been the site of Andover Youth Services-sponsored film festivals, runway fashion shows, dances, band concerts and shows. It has never been harmed or abused by an AYS event.

With Andover Youth Services located in the heart of downtown, kids, parents, merchants, shoppers, pedestrians and visitors would mingle and coexist. Places that are busy and full of life are places people like to go. These kind of places not only feel safe, they are safe. This is where we should want kids this age to be, in the heart of our town under all our noses where we can watch them, get to know them, teach them, learn from them, enjoy them and demonstrate we love them.

I can't think of a move more creative, practical and cost effective than this one.

Carole Chanler
Gray Road

THE THURSDAY FILE

To produce a mighty book, you must choose a mighty theme. No great and enduring volume can ever be written on the flea, though many there be that have tried it.

HERMAN MELVILLE

**Order is a lovely thing;
On disarray it lays its wing,
Teaching simplicity to sing.**

ANNA HEMPSTEAD BRANCH

The body says what words cannot.

MARTHA GRAHAM

A newspaper is not just for reporting the news, it's to get people mad enough to do something about it.

MARK TWAIN

Love has nothing to do with what you are expecting to get – only what you are expecting to give – which is everything. What you will receive in return varies. But it really has no connection with what you give. You give because you love and cannot help giving.

KATHARINE HEPBURN

Truly great friends are hard to find, difficult to leave, and impossible to forget.

G. RANDOLF

**Rast ich, so rost ich
(When I rest, I rust.)**

GERMAN PROVERB

Best quotation sent

Sometimes our light goes out but is blown into flame by another human being. Each of us owes thanks to those who have rekindled this light.

ALBERT SCHWEITZER

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Andover High School's girls swim and dive team has won four straight state championships, an impressive feat. The MIAA is taking away the 2000 title.

State revokes championship

■ SWIM TEAM TITLE

Continued from page 1

national ranking," Wetzel said. "The year of competition with the Pirates was the same as a year of competition at Andover High."

Mancuso came to Andover High School in 2000, repeated her freshman year and joined the varsity swim team. MIAA regulations require students who participate in a varsity sport, or at its equivalent level, to take a year off before joining a varsity-level team at a new school. Even though Mancuso did not swim for Austin Prep in her freshman year there, the MIAA decided that, due to her participation with the Pirates, she should have sat out her first year at Andover High.

According to Wetzel, this is a practice that is followed to prevent high schools from recruiting top-notch athletes at other high schools.

"There are two issues," Wetzel said. "(Both) began when Andover High School asked for a waiver. They wanted us to grant her a waiver."

He said in the course of reviewing her case, it came to the MIAA's attention that she had not taken a year off from competing when she switched schools and repeated the ninth grade. Subsequently, Andover was ordered to forfeit the victories for Mancuso's freshman year at Andover High, including the schools' 2000 State Championship title.

"When we have a case, it's not typical that it's a few years old," he said. "We also denied the waiver request to allow her to compete this year."

While the waiver was pending Mancuso received tremendous support from her teammates who wore shirts to school that said "Good luck, Liz" on the front and had a heart around her last name on the back with the words "It's not about the winning. It's about the love of swimming."

"I mean, you don't expect a group of girls to reach out and support you. I can't thank them enough," said Elizabeth Mancuso before the MIAA had made its decision.

"They rather be cheering with her in the water than about this," said Marilyn Fitzgerald, Andover girls swim coach, also before the MIAA ruling. "She's still part of the team, no matter what the outcome is. The whole thing has been a difficult situation."

Since that time, the Mancuso family has sought legal representation from Paul Klehm at the Law Office of James B. Krasnoo, on Main Street, and taken action of its own against the MIAA ruling. At this point, Elizabeth Mancuso has been granted a temporary restraining order that allows her to swim. Klehm refused to comment on anything regarding the case.

"The family filed a law suit against the MIAA. As far as the MIAA is concerned, the issue is over. The judge issued a temporary restraining order that allows her to swim, against the MIAA from preventing her," Wetzel said. "The school accepted this decision. It's final. That's exactly what the story is."

"At this point, it's beyond the school," said Peter Anderson, Andover High School principal. "Because she swam as a freshman for us, we need to forfeit all those events. We do not think it's fair, but at the present time we are complying."

Anderson said once the Mancuso lawsuit is resolved, the school will decide if there is a way it can hold onto the championship title.

A North Sectional swimming meet including Andover High is scheduled to take place on Nov. 8, but with the eligibility of Mancuso in litigation, there is a chance it will be postponed. "There's a possibility that the tournament could be delayed. If the restraining order is still in place, we may have to delay the tournament," Wetzel said.

HELP WITH COPING

When loved ones' memories fade

Alzheimer's doctor to offer insight to families at senior center

By Andrea Gregory

After 48 years of living in the same Claremont, N.H. home, Charles and Lucille McLaughlin made a difficult, but necessary move to the Pathways - the Alzheimer's residential program at Marland Place on Stevens Street.

Lucille McLaughlin was diagnosed with Alzheimer's two years ago and is in the mid stages of the disease. Charles McLaughlin, her husband, has not been diagnosed with Alzheimer's, but is legally blind. He can only make out occasional shadows or patches of light, and also struggles with cognitive skills.

"They've done everything together," said Tom McLaughlin, their son, adding that "everything" now includes struggling with the onset of age-related illnesses. "They're like a couple of hot air balloons losing their hot air at the same rate. It's a difficult thing to see."

McLaughlin is not the only Andover resident in this position. With November being Alzheimer's national awareness month, the Andover Senior Center and Marland Place are hosting a guest by lecture by Dr. Sanford Auerbach, a committee member on the Board of Directors for the National Alzheimer's Association and the South Shore Group for Alzheimer's. Auerbach in currently involved in research studies at Boston University and the Framingham Dementia Study. He will be at the Andover Senior Center on Monday, Nov. 3 at 7 p.m. to help bring the latest information on the disease to the public.

"It's all about awareness for the month," said Michelle Muller, director of community relations at Marland Place. "It's a harder disorder for the family than the person going through it. They're pleasantly confused."

Tom McLaughlin describes his family's situation as the classic role reversal, where the son is no longer relying on his parents, but they are relying on him. He said it is unclear if both his parents suffer from Alzheimer's, but to him the label is not important. It the care of his parents and their comfort with which he is concerned. He said getting his parents into a program that allows couples to live together was the best situation under the circumstances. "They're lucky in that sense," he said.

PHOTO COURTESY OF TOM MCLAUGHLIN

Lucille McLaughlin has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's, which isn't always easy to accept, according to her son, Tom McLaughlin.

He said they are also well matched, even if his father is not in the same mental state as his mother.

"She is still living 10, 20 years ago, when he could see. She thinks he's just goofing off and pretending he can't see," he said about his mother. "She is pleasantly confused, with an emphasis on pleasant. She doesn't know what she doesn't know."

His father is aware of what is being lost and has a little bit harder time coming to terms.

"He's having a real hard time because he's frustrated that he can't remember things," he said.

Due to glaucoma, he lived for 15 to 20 years with limited vision. An unsuccessful operation in June stripped him of more of his sight, said Tom McLaughlin.

"When he lost what remained of his limited vision, he could no longer rely on my mother," said Tom McLaughlin.

In July, his parents relocated to Marland Place. They now live in what looks like an L-shaped studio apartment with their own belongings in one of 25 living quarters for Alzheimer's patients. They are given three meals a day, supervised, provided with activities and thankfully, their son said, are still together.

"My mother says periodically she's going home at the end of the week," he said, something that is not always easy for him and his father to hear.

Outside the doors of each unit, Pathways keeps what is known as a shadow box. It is designed to help residents know which unit is theirs by containing personal belonging that trigger their memory. Lucille McLaughlin has packed her shadow box away, along with all of the photographs in her new setting.

"I could always tell my mother she's not going home, she's never going home, that we're in the process of selling the house. She would be crushed and then forget it the next day," he said. "In fact, it's a bit cruel to repetitively give her bad news."

So he and his father do their best to change the subject and not correct her.

Muller, the director of community relations at Marland Place, said the disease gives meaning to the term ignorance is bliss, but the beginning stages can be scary for a person who realizes they are forgetting more and more as Alzheimer's progresses. Mid-stage patients are no longer aware of what they don't know.

"The research is ever changing," she said. "It's becoming more and more of a topic people are interested in hearing about."

Muller said the first drug for mid-stage patients was released recently. The drugs are designed to have patients plateau at a certain stage of the disease. There is no cure.

"Memory loss is not a normal part of aging," said Bernadette Graycar, assistant program coordinator for the Andover Senior Center.

Graycar said the idea behind offering the Nov. 3 lecture at the senior center, offering a future four-part series and trying to start an early-stage support group has to do with providing education. She said 30 to 40 people are expected to attend Auerbach's talk and it is open to anyone who wants to know more about the disease and receive up-to-date information from someone involved in the medical and research areas of Alzheimer's.

Tickets for the Nov. 3 lecture at the senior center are $3. For more information call Michelle Muller at 978- 475-4225.

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Arts & Entertainment

EVENTS CALENDAR

Thursday, October 30

Lecture, Northern Essex Community College's Life Long Learning Program, presents Betsy Williams, owner of "The Proper Season" an herb business in Andover, will discuss herbs, $1, 2 p.m., Library Conference area, Haverhill campus; 978-556-3825.

Speaker, State Representative and Andover resident Barbara L'Italien will speak about children's issues and elder affairs at a public forum, 7 p.m., Newburyport Public Library, Pat Gorton 978-352-8931.

Opening, *The Girl in the Frame,* 8 p.m., $16-$32, Stoneham Theater, 395 Main St., Stoneham; 781-279-2200, www.stonehamtheatre.org.

Live music, Monster Mike Welch and Barry Anderson, 8 p.m., $10, Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Halloween happening, Victorian Park's, *Haunted Mansion and Forbidden Forest,* eerie walk and through the Forbidden Forest and a frightening tour of the Haunted Mansion, 6:30 p.m. $14, 350 North Broadway, Salem, N.H.; 603-898-1803.

Musical thriller, Hope Light Opera House presents *Sweeney Todd the Demon Barber of Fleet Street,* $15, 8 p.m., recommended for ages 13 and up, Adams Memorial Opera House, 29 W. Broadway St., Derry, N.H.; 603-437-0505.

Theater, the Valley Players presents a freely adapted version of Braum Stoker's novel, *Dracula*, call for times and prices, Amesbury Playhouse, Dinner Theatre Function Room, 194 Main St., Amesbury; 978-388-9444.

Friday, October 31 Halloween

Trick or Treat, Andover hours 5-7:05 p.m.

Live music, the Music Department of Phillips Academy will present the Faculty Jazz Ensemble, free, 7:30 p.m., Kemper Auditorium, Phillips Academy campus; 978-749-4995, music@andover.edu..

Live comedy, Stephanie Peters, Bob Niles, Tom Morello, $12, 9:30 p.m., Comedy Escape at the China Blossom, North Andover; 781-938-8088.

Live music, Tony Bird, 8 p.m., $10-$12, Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Annual Halloween Spectacular, featuring more than 30 artists from Lowell, Chelmsford, Dracut, Boston, Cambridge, Somerville and beyond, DJs all night long, video artists, performance artists, dancing. two bars, art and merchandise for sale, 21-plus, $5, 8 p.m., Evos, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-441-1063, www.evosart.com.

Artists reception, sculpture Richard Colburn, free, 7-9 p.m., Laura Coombs Hill Gallery, 65 Water St., Newburyport; 978-465-8769.

Tour, *Legacy of the Hanging Judge,* tour the Nathaniel Hawthorne's birthplace as it transforms into a prosecutor's chamber, costumed interpreters bring visitors on a tour, $12, 7:30-9:30 p.m., shows begin every 5 minutes, 54 Turner St., Salem; 978-744-0991.

Tour, *Spirits of the Gables,* Witness the cursed Pyncheons haunting the hallways of the mansion, $12, 7-11 p.m., shows begin every five minutes, 54 Turner St., Salem; 978-744-0991.

Sweeney Todd the Demon Barber of Fleet Street, *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Haunted Mansion and Forbidden Forest, *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Dracula, *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Saturday, November 1

Book signing, Kathi Duble will sign her book *Pilot Mom,* Andover Bookstore, 89 Main St.; 978-475-0143.

Arts and craft fair, face painting and sand art for kids, baked goods, arts and crafts, free, 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m., Andover School of Montessori, 400 South Main St., Ann Papadopulu 978-474-9186.

Country fair, crafts and more, lunch available, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Andover Baptist Church, 7 Central St.; 978-475-0166.

Live music, the Grace Sisters will be performing a Gospel concert, tickets $12 at the door, $8 seniors and students, 7:30 p.m., refreshments following concert, Ballardvale United Church; 978-475-2506.

Live music, "Dido and Aeneas" presented by the Treble Chorus of New England, $10-$12, 7 p.m., Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College, North Andover; 978-837-5461.

Live comedy, Stephanie Peters, Bob Niles, Tom Morello, $12, 9:30 p.m., Comedy Escape at the China Blossom, North Andover; 781-938-8088.

Craft fair, the Mother Connection's annual craft fair, crafts and products from local vendors activities for children, proceeds benefit Mother Connection, Inc., 10 a.m.-4 p.m., First United Methodist Church, 57 Peters St., North Andover; Paula 978-474-0925.

Live music, Middlesex Community College's fall concert series *A World of Music* presents Alice Grove & Co., free, 7:30 p.m., MCC Theater, 5 E. Merrimack St., Lowell; 781-280-3923.

Live music, two shows, Groovelily, $10-$12, 7 p.m., the Devines, $5, 10 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Tour, Lowell Cemetery, free. 2:30 p.m., meet at Lowell Cemetery, Lawrence Street Gate, 1020 Lawrence St., Lowell; reservations recommended 978-970-5000.

Village of Church Fairs, seven church fairs, all in walking distance of each other, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Amesbury; 978-388-0683.

Antique show, 30 dealers, $2.75 donation, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., sponsored by the Belleville Congregational Church 300 High St., Newburyport; 978-465-7734.

Tastes and Treasures, the Andover Historical Society is hosting a fundraiser, tour eight private kitchens of Andover 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; an evening reception includes a silent auction, music and more, 7:30-9:30 p.m., tickets for the kitchen tour $20, reception and silent auction $22, combination $35; 978-475-2236, www.andhist.org.

Holiday bazaar, Our Lady of Hope Parish, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Linebrook

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PHOTO COURTESY OF ANDOVER HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Built by William Wood in 1927 as part of his planned corporate community, this kitchen on the Andover Historical Society's Tastes & Treasures Tour this Saturday features a working 1930s Premier Dual F porcelain stove, original doors, moldings and other period details along with new South African morado wood cabinets, granite counters, and butler's pantry. Tastes & Treasures combines a daytime tour of private kitchens in Andover with a glittering evening reception and silent auction at Old Town Hall in the evening. For more information, call 978-475-2236, or visit www. andhist.org. [*See related story on page 11.*]

Taste of Andover: Chamber fills horn of plenty, tickets still available

By Neil Fater

PERHAPS PEOPLE STILL ARE SO UPSET about the Red Sox they can't eat yet. Perhaps it's the warm weather. Perhaps people don't eat out on Wednesday night as often as Thursday.

Whatever the reason, this is a surprising development: One week before the annual Taste of Andover event at Old Town Hall, there are still more than 250 tickets available.

This year's Taste of Andover event is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 5, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Andover's Old Town Hall on Main Street, also known as the Town House.

For $20, residents can attend and sample menu items from 15 local restaurants and food-service facilities, in a casual atmosphere.

The Taste of Andover has always been a crowd pleaser that attracts people to Andover restaurants and other eateries. The event was moved to a Wednesday this year to avoid a conflict with any other event, and organizers expect a late surge in tickets.

"It's always been packed, a great turnout, very well received. I'm confident we'll get the folks," said Nancy Hargreaves, vice president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, which sponsors the event. "Usually it's sold out early. Maybe this is the year other folks get to try it."

Based on past experience, it's tough to argue that tickets will sell quickly this week. In recent years, plenty of restaurants have run out of food at the end of the evening because the event is so well attended. A few years ago, the fire department put a 400-ticket limit on the event because Old Town Hall became so crowded. There is a 400 ticket limit this year, too.

But while the number of diners will remain the same, the number of chefs will increase this year. "We have more restaurants than ever, the highest number of food vendors ever. We're hoping it's the best event yet," said Ron Hill, Andover Chamber president.

For instance, John Ingalls, the owner and chef of Palmer's Restaurant on Elm Street, will offer "what has become one of our signatures – our crab cakes."

"I think (the event) is good for the town, and the town's been good to me," said Ingalls. "We want to put our best foot forward."

The Chamber plans to have a "greeter" at the door to avoid logjams at the tables of tasty offerings. Lines have backed up in previous years, because people entering the function area would all head in the same direction, said Hill. The greeter will encourage people entering Taste of Andover to head in other directions, where the lines are shorter.

Ingalls and other chefs always say they enjoy showing residents and Andover workers what they can do at the Taste of Andover.

"Usually, we change our menu three times a year. We do a fall menu and (the Taste) gives people a chance to see our new menu," said Ingalls.

"I look forward to it and I think it's a great idea," he said. "It's good for the town and it's good for us. It's a two-way street."

"The point is, it's a great opportunity for folks," said Hill. "We know that there are other events in this area that charge twice as much for basically the same thing – up to $75."

At the Taste of Andover, said Hill, "Some money is raised for scholarships in town, but the main thing is we try to make it a community-oriented event."

Old Town Hall will be adorned with arrangements from local florists, and background music will be courtesy of the Gary Michaels Orchestra. Additional parking in the downtown Andover area will be available, courtesy of BankNorth, First Essex Bank and The Savings Bank.

Tickets to the event are priced at $20 each, and are available only by contacting the Merrimack Valley Chamber of Commerce at 978-686-0900. When the Merrimack Valley Chamber receives personal checks or cash, tickets will be forwarded to the payer. Tickets must be presented at the door. Tickets will be sold at the door only if the event has not sold out before then, said Hill. The proceeds will benefit the Andover Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund.

Those who attend the Taste of Andover will enjoy sampling specialities from the following food-service facilities participating in the year's event:

- Andover Country Club
- Andover Inn
- The Blue Cow
- Bistro Cassis
- Wild Oats
- Glory
- Palmer's Restaurant
- Raspberries
- Justin's Of Andover
- Sweet Mimi's
- Vincenzo's
- Greater Lawrence Technical School
- Wyndham Hotel
- Marland Place
- Pasta Villagio

FILE PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Stacie Forsythe of Andover Liquors offers a glass of wine at last year's Taste of Andover in Old Town Hall. The event is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 5.

COURTESY PHOTO

Part of the Sunrise Singers group at one of its two CD-recording sessions last week.

Sunrise Singers spread their wings

Their debut CD, 'Four Seasons of Sunrise,' could fuel trip

By Ben Hellman

The Sunrise Singers, a chorus of Andover senior citizens, hopes to soon be seeing a dawn on the other side of the Atlantic.

But first, the singers want to sell enough of their compact discs to pay for the trip.

This week, the senior singers finished a recording session to put out their debut CD, "Four Seasons of Sunrise." Proceeds from the sales will help cover the costs of traveling to the United Kingdom to perform. The group was invited to England last year, after it sang for a crowd of visitors from Andover's sister town of Andover, England.

Senior John Andreadis said the group was excited when the England group invited it to visit and perform. "Everybody was thrilled. I'm looking forward to it," he said. The Sunrise Singers will sing two numbers with a choral group from Andover, England. "It adds more cement between the two towns," he said.

Singer Charlotte Murphy was one of the people who lobbied to get a singing group started at the senior center. She said she's seen a lot of progress in the group's abilities. "We're learning too. No matter what your age, you always learn," she said.

The senior singers say the group is both a good way to socialize and to improve their singing. "It's sort of a social club, if you will," said Leslie Bartow. "The objective is to have fun." But Bartow said part of the fun is achieving their musical objectives. "I think most people are serious (about the music)," he said.

Director Linda Kirk said that the first time the group rehearsed she couldn't hear the singers past the front row of the Free Christian Church, where they rehearse. Now she said they are comfortable singing harmonies and ready to put out a recording.

"Four Seasons of Sunrise" has songs meant to represent each season of the year. The winter songs are Christmas carols, the spring numbers are love songs, fall is eclectic and the summer songs are patriotic.

My Country 'Tis of Thee is one number on the album that Kirk said will bring the two towns together because the music is also used in the British National Anthem. The words to the American song were written by Samuel Smith, at Phillips Academy in 1832.

Some other songs on the album are *White Christmas, Catch a Falling Star, Camptown Races, Do-Wah-Diddy* and *Anything Goes.*

"It's a great group of people to sing with. Now all we have to do is sell records," said Andreadis.

The albums should be available for sale through the senior center before Christmas. Kirk said members would also sell the albums.

Valley Philharmonic to give concert

Merrimack Valley Philharmonic Orchestra will present a concert on Sunday, Nov. 2, at 2:30 p.m. in the Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College, 315 Turnpike Street, North Andover. Conductor George Monseur will lead the orchestra in George Frederick Handel's *Water Music Suite*. John Ferrillo, principal oboist with the Boston Symphony Orchestra, will be the featured soloist in Handel's *Concerto for Oboe*. The orchestra will also perform *Lieutenant Kije Suite* by Serge Prokofiev and finish the program with Peter I. Tchaikowsky's *Romeo and Juliet Fantasy Overture*. Admission is $15 for adults, $10 seniors and students and $5 children.

Check out the Web site at: www.mvpomusic.org.

For further information, call Bill Forsyth at 978-372-8237.

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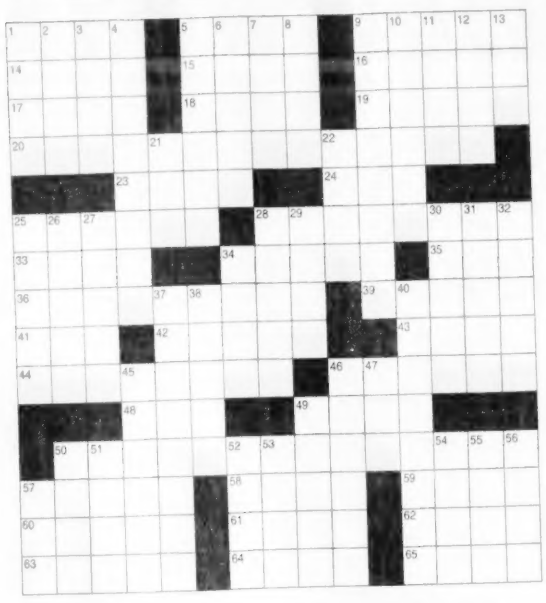

CLUES ACROSS

1. Use a P.A. system
5. Mama __, rock singer
9. Able to draw fine distinctions
14. Old Irish alphabet
15. Lowest adult female singing voice
16. Nocturnal lemur
17. Finger millet
18. Water
19. Kevin __, actor
20. Thanksgiving tradition
23. Cushy
24. Type of shade tree
25. Endures
28. Tropical palms
33. __ Clapton, musician
34. Athapaskan language
35. Denotes three
36. Sedimentary rock
39. Less wet
41. Mimic
42. Danger
43. Skin disease
44. Embarrassed
46. Supply with oxygen
48. US, Latin America, Canada belong to
49. Competent
50. Thanksgiving tradition
57. __ Antoinette
58. Conductance unit equal of ohms reciprocal
59. Symbol of a deity
60. Horatio __, American writer
61. Used to help someone walk
62. Spanish city
63. Render holy by means of religious rites
64. Used of tobacco
65. Property document

CLUES DOWN

1. Meat from a pig (French)
2. Gelling agent in foods
3. Crazy over
4. Prominence due to marked superiority
5. Stroking
6. Wing shaped
7. Rapid bustling movement
8. Japanese entertainment firm
9. Natural nitrogen-containing bases found in plants
10. Tall cylindrical vertical support
11. Type of acid
12. Prong
13. Compass pt.
21. Spoiled
22. Units of time (abbr.)
25. Amberjack, for one
26. Stomach dish
27. Intended
28. Any of various fissiped mammals with nonretractile claws and typically long muzzles
29. Soviet city
30. City on Mohawk River
31. Council of __, 1545-1563
32. Obsequious use of title
34. An open skin infection
37. Communicators
38. Affected by emotion as if by static electricity
40. In a way, made weak
45. Dinghies
46. Used improperly or excessively esp. drugs
47. Santa's helper
49. Turn away from sin
50. High in stature
51. A strong spontaneous and irrational motivation
52. Urban gym
53. A way to dance
54. Baseless
55. The source of lymph and lymphocytes
56. Happy
57. Anagram of MBA

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Road, Ipswich; 978-356-3944.

◀ **Nordic fair,** sponsored by Morgensolen Lodge No. 545, Sons of Norway, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Topsfield Fairgrounds, Route 1, Topsfield; 978-462-2439.

Tour, a fine and decorative arts tour of the Phillips House, free, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 34 Chestnut St., Salem; 978-744-0440.

Sweeney Todd the Demon Barber of Fleet Street, *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Legacy of the Hanging Judge, *see Oct. 31 entry.*

Spirits of the Gables, *see Oct. 31 entry.*

Dracula, *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Sunday, November 2

Open house, Phillips Academy open house for prospective day students and their families, 2-3:30 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy campus; 978-749-4050, www.andover.edu.

Cut-a-thon, the Salon (formerly the Hair Factory Salon) is holding a cut-a-thon to benefit Quota International of Andover, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., 160 Winthrop Ave., Stadium Plaza, Lawrence; 978-725-7556.

John Ferrillo, oboe

Live music, Merrimack Valley Philharmonic Orchestra, $15, $10 seniors and students, $5 children, 2:30 p.m., Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College, North Andover; 978-372-8237, www.mvpomusic.org.

Craft show, Crafters LTD Holiday Craft Show, $2, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., bring a donation of a non-perishable food for the Chelmsford Food Pantry and receive half off admission price, Radisson Hotel, Route 110 and Alpine Lane, Chelmsford; 978-251-0551.

Theater, Discovery Series presents *The Star Keeper* a puppet show produced by Theater de l'Oeil, $10, 2 and 4 p.m., Durgin Hall, 35 Wilder St., UMass Lowell South Campus; 978-934-4444.

Theater, the annual Moses Greeley Parker Lecture Series presents *Poe Alone, The Last Appeal,* free, 2 p.m., Lowell High School Auditorium, 50 Fr. Morrissette Blvd., Lowell; 978-454-7979.

Live music, Steve and Kristi Nebel, free, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Pawtucket Congregational Church, 15 Mammoth Road, Lowell: 978-452-2144.

Open house, Clark School open house for prospective students and their families, 2-4 p.m., 487 Locust St., Danvers; 978-777-4699.

Tour, trace the footsteps of Charles Dickens through Lowell, free, 2:30 p.m., meet at Lowell National Park Visitors Center, 246 Market St., Lowell; reservations recommended 978-970-5000.

Live music, Fall Jazz Series, Barbara and Al Boudreau Jazz Quartet featuring Jack Senier and Mark Carlsen, 5–9 p.m., reservations recommended, Ipswich Bar and Grill, Ipswich; 978-356-7006.

Sweeney Todd the Demon Barber of Fleet Street, 2 p.m., *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Monday, November 3

Discussion, Rabbi Robert S. Goldstein and Myrna Schoen, preschool director, will lead part three of *Talking to Our Kids About Loss, God, and Evil* (on Evil), 9:15 a.m.; Temple Emanuel, 7 Haggetts Pond Road, discussion is open to people of all faiths; 978-470-1563.

Parent to Parent, hosts Sam Snail and puppeteer Lesley Smith presenting *Peaceable Kingdom* a fam-

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By Neil Fater and Don Mathias

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ily program on conflict resolution featuring interactive singing and music free, 7 p.m., limited seating, West Middle School Auditorium; Tracey Gatland at 978-258-6117.

Class, Exsultemus will hold a masterclass, the ensemble will work with the Phillips Academy's Fidelio Society on issues of performance practice, free, 6 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy campus; 617-945-2786, www.exsultemus.org.

Class, United Homes for Children Inc. is holding classes on how to become a foster parent, free, 1147 Main St., Tewksbury, to register call Carem Rivas Aguilar 978-640-0089.

Tuesday, November 4

Meeting, the Andover Garden Club presents representatives from AVIS, Andover Planning Board, Andover Conservation Commission, Andover Preservation Commission, Water Department and the Andover Historical Society to present the most current information about local issues concerning conservation, preservation and the town environment. $5 non-members, 10 a.m., Fellowship Hall, West Parish Church, Route 133 and Reservation Road; Karen Schnorrenberg 978-474-8973, karensberg@comcast.net.

Live music, Primavera, $10, 7:30 p.m., Roma Restaurant, 29 Middlesex St., Bradford; 978-374-8001.

Wednesday, November 5

Workshop, No Pain Piano Workshop, learn to play the piano in three hours, instructor Frank Dunne, $30 registration, $25 paid in class for materials, 6:30-9:30 p.m., West Elementary School, Beacon Street, to register: DCS 978-623-8274.

Frank Dunne

Book discussion, the Evening Book Discussion Group will talk about *Interpreter of Maladies* by Jhumpa Lahiri, free, 7:15, Activity Room, lower level, Memorial Hall Library; Norma Gammon 978-623-8401 Ext. 49.

Lecture, Loe Greenstein will talk on "The Humor of Food and History," free, 7 p.m., Memorial Hall Library; 978-623-8401.

Film, *North by Northwest*, free, 7 p.m., Rogers Center, Merrimack College; 978-873-5355, www.merrimack.edu/rogers.

Taste of Andover, sample hors d'oeuvres, desserts, and other menu items from 15 local restaurants and food-service facilities while relaxing and socializing, $20, 6-8 p.m., Old Town Hall, 20 Main St.; tickets (admission limited to 400 people) available only through the Merrimack Valley Chamber of Commerce; on receiving personal checks or cash, tickets will be forwarded to the payer; tickets must be presented at the door to gain admittance to the event; no tickets will be sold at the door; proceeds will benefit the Andover Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund; call , 978-686-0900.

Open house, Brookwood School is holding an admissions open house for parents of students entering prekindergarten through grade 8, 8:45-10:30 a.m., and 5-7 p.m., Route 127, Beverly/Manchester line; 978-526-4500, www.brookwood.edu.

Thursday, November 6

Preschool fair, the Mother Connection is hosting a preschool fair, meet representatives and gather information from over 20 schools in the area, free, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Old Town Hall, 20 Main St; Heather 978-470-3315.

Reading, student from North Reading High School will read selections from John Steinbeck's *Travels with Charlie in Search of America*.

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Just in time for Halloween weekend, Norman George stars in "Poe Alone: The Last Appeal" at the Lowell High School auditorium. George plays Poe on Sunday, Nov. 2 at 2 p.m. in a free, two-act solo stage performance based on the last American appearance of the poet and short-story writer, two weeks before his death in 1849. Call 978-454-7979 for more information.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY FUNDRAISER

Revving up auction plans

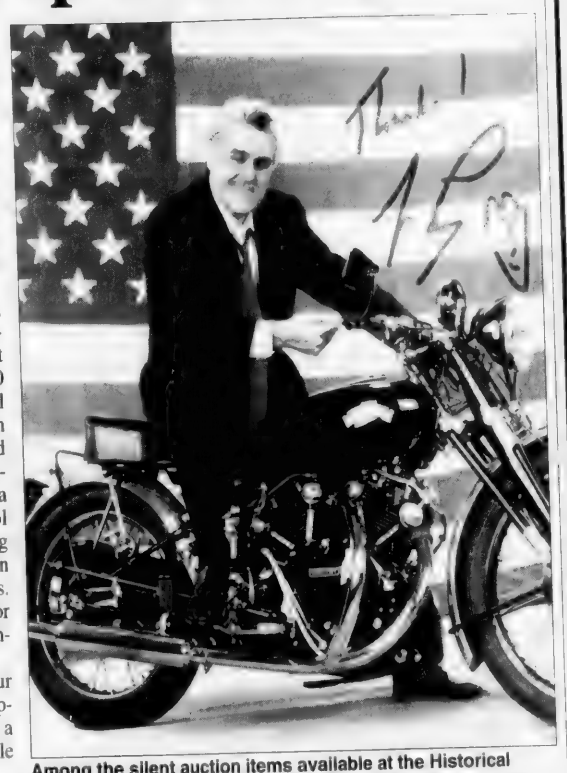
THE ANDOVER HISTORICAL Society will host a new fundraising benefit this Saturday, Nov. 1, with the emphasis on having fun.

Tastes & Treasures combines a daytime tour of private kitchens in Andover (*profiled last week in these pages*) with a glittering evening reception and silent auction at Old Town Hall in the evening.

From 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., participants can tour eight historical kitchens throughout Andover. From 7:30 until 9:30 that evening, Old Town Hall will be transformed for a reception and silent auction of goods and services. Live music will be provided by the band Recess, a group of local middle-school musicians with a loyal following who enjoy the band's spin on jazz and contemporary favorites.

The band recently played for the annual DCS Father Daughter dance to great acclaim.

Tickets for the kitchen tour are $20. Tickets for the reception and silent auction are $22; a combination ticket is available for $35.



Among the silent auction items available at the Historical Society's event this Saturday evening are VIP tickets to the *Tonight Show with Jay Leno*.

The evening reception and silent auction promises to be a special affair. In addition to the band, the reception will feature light fare from Best of Thymes and a variety of fun and intriguing auction activities and items.

A balloon raffle will feature prizes such as coffee treats courtesy of Starbucks and tickets to the Comedy Connection. Attendees can buy a balloon, pop it and find out what they've won. Silent auction items include VIP tickets to the *Tonight Show* courtesy of Andoverite Jay Leno, who sent an autographed photograph along with his donation. Also up for bid will be tickets to Lowell's Lock Monsters, gift certificates to Circuit City and Closets Etc., five sessions with a personal trainer courtesy of Perfect Form, an architectural consultation by Jane Griswold, and original works of art by local artists Arlene Greenspan, Janet Hamlin and Norma Gammon.

On the fun side, the auction includes salmon and crab to be shipped in from the world famous Pike's Market in Seattle, Wash., and passes to new Hampshire's family amusement park, Storyland. In addition, the Historical Society is auctioning off five reproduction photographs of Andover copied from original photographs from the Archives, and a special private tour of Andover Underground Railroad sites, including access to a private home to view a secret hiding place for runaway slaves, with Juliet Mofford, director of education and research and Underground Railroad expert.

The silent auction is not only a fund-raiser for the Historical Society, it is also a connection to Andover's past and a new exhibit on display at the Blanchard House. The exhibit, "Lucy's Acre: A Place in Time" tells the story of Lucy Foster, a black woman who was freed by her owner and given an acre of land. Lucy supported herself and her family on the acre for many years, possibly working at a local tavern. Historical records show that later in her life the community came together to help care for and support Lucy through donations of firewood and food. To help strengthen our connection with Lucy and our past, each of our board members will create a charity basket that

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HALLOWEEN CALENDAR

Thursday Oct. 30

Halloween happening, Victorian Park's *Haunted Mansion and Forbidden Forest*, eerie walk and through the Forbidden Forest and a frightening tour of the Haunted Mansion, 6:30 p.m. $14, 350 North Broadway, Salem, N.H.; 603-898-1803.

Musical thriller, Hope Light Opera House presents *Sweeney Todd the Demon Barber of Fleet Street*, $15, 8 p.m., recommended for ages 13 and up, Adams Memorial Opera House, 29 W. Broadway St., Derry, N.H.; 603-437-0505.

Friday Oct. 31
Halloween

Andover Trick or Treat, Andover selectmen set the official trick-or-treat hours in town as 5 to 7:05 p.m.

Tour, *Legacy of the Hanging Judge*, tour the Nathaniel Hawthorne's birthplace as it transforms into a prosecutor's chamber, costumed interpreters bring visitors on a tour, $12, 7:30-9:30 p.m., shows begin every 5 minutes, 54 Turner St., Salem; 978-744-0991.

Tour, *Spirits of the Gables*, Witness the cursed Pyncheons haunting the hallways of the mansion, $12, 7-11 p.m., shows begin every five minutes, 54 Turner St., Salem; 978-744-0991.

Annual Halloween Spectacular, featuring over 30 artists from Lowell, Chelmsford, Dracut, Boston, Cambridge, Somerville and beyond, DJs all night long, video artists, performance artists, dancing, two bars, art and merchandise for sale, 21+/ $5, 8 p.m., Evos, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-441-1063, www.evosart.com.

Haunted Mansion and Forbidden Forest, *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Sweeney Todd the Demon Barber of Fleet Street, *see Oct. 30 entry.*

Ongoing

Theater, the Valley Players presents a freely adapted version of Braum Stoker's novel, *Dracula*, by William R. Brooks Jr., through Nov. 2, call for times and prices, the Amesbury Playhouse, Dinner Theatre Function Room, 194 Main St., Amesbury; 978-388-9444.

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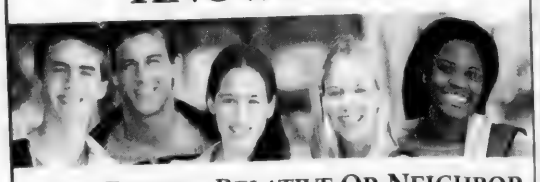
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free, 7 p.m., Flint Memorial Library, 147 Park St., North Reading; 978-664-4942, www.flintmemoriallibrary.org.

Live music, Hot Day at the Zoo, 8 p.m., $10, Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Lecture, Northern Essex Community College's Life Long Learning Program, presents comedian Bob Seibel $1, 2 p.m., Library Conference area, Haverhill campus; 978-556-3825.

Readings, Wingate Writers Group is hosting a reading of fiction writers. David Crouse, Joan Longwell and Ron Thimot, free, 7 p.m., Crescent Dragon Coffeehouse, 59 Washington St., Haverhill; 978-521-1652.

Meeting, United Fly Tyers hosts tying instructions (hooks and most materials supplied, bring vise and tools) 6:30 p.m., and speakers 8 p.m., members $5, non-members $10, Knights of Columbus Hall, Burlington; Arthur C. Williams. acwilliams@bigplanet.com.

Friday, November 7

Plays, *Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind, (30 Neo-Futurist Plays in 60 Minutes),* free, 7 p.m., tickets required, Addison Gallery of American Art galleries, Phillips Academy campus; Jen Lawlor 978-749-4023.

Wine tasting, Merrimack Valley Hospice fundraiser, $50 per person, 7-9 p.m., Old Town Hall, 20 Main St.; 978-552-4748.

Andover High School Varsity Football Game, "Senior Night," Andover Golden Warriors host Chelmsford High, $5 adults, $3 seniors and students, 7 p.m. kick-off, Eugene Lovely Field, Andover High School, Shawsheen Road; Dave Nichols or Brian McNally, 978-623-8570.

Live music, Golden Oldies, The Drifters and The Coasters $20-$22, 7:30 p.m., Rogers Center, Merrimack College; 978-873-5355, www.merrimack.edu/rogers.

Theater, the Top Notch Players will perform *As You Like It*, $10 adults, $8 seniors and students, 8 p.m., Top Notch Theatre, Spurk Building, Haverhill Campus; Jim Murphy 978 556-3374.

Live music, DaVinci's Notebook, 8 p.m., $10-$12, Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Theater, *After Hours at the North Shore*, North Shore Music Theater offers an evening for the 35-and-under crowd to meet fellow theatergoers and mingle with the artistic team of *West Side Story*, $34-$56, 8 p.m., 62 Dunham Road (Route 128, exit 19), Beverly; 978-232-7200, www.nsmt.org.

Saturday, November 8

Ball, Andona Society Annual Ball, $150 per couple, $75 single, cocktails 7 p.m., dinner 8 p.m., followed by dancing, Atkinson Country Club, Atkinson N.H., information and reservations Joan Heim 978-975-1193.

Live music, Sally Rogers and Howie Bursen, $12, doors open 7:15 p.m., show 8 p.m., Crossroads Coffeehouse, North Parish Church, 190 Academy Road, North Andover; 978-687-3960 (978-687-7948 evening of the concert) www.crossroadscoffeehouse.com.

Live music, Reading Symphony Orchestra, $15, $8 seniors and students, under 12 free, 8 p.m., Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College, North Andover; 978-475-6518.

Book sale, the Friends of the Stevens Memorial Library annual fall book-sale, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 345 Main St., North Andover, 978-689-9549.

Conference, *Shaping the Future of Essex County Practical Solutions for Sustainable Growth* conference, $15 includes a continental breakfast and lunch, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Merrimack College, North Andover, space is limited and preregistration is required, contact the Essex County Community Foundation 978-887-8876.

Live music, two shows, 4 Way Street, $8-$10, 7 p.m., Nicole Nelson Band, $8, 10 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Christmas fair, Sacred Heart and Sainte Marie Parishes of Lowell will hold a Christmas fair, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sacred Heart School, 122 Andrews St., Lowell; 978-453-3962.

Tour, a fine and decorative arts tour of the Phillips House, free, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 34 Chestnut St., Salem; 978-744-0440.

Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind, *see Nov. 7.*

As You Like It, *see Nov. 7.*

Sunday, November 9

Live music, Exsultemus program "Mind Your Mannerists," $10-$ 20, $5 seniors, students, under 18 free, 3 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy campus; 617-945-2786, www.exsultemus.org.

Lecture, Dr. Jean Wu of Tufts University will lecture on Racism and Asian Americans, presentation is geared for parents of adopted Asian children, $7, 3 p.m., White Auditorium, Phillips Academy campus, preregistration required 978-749-4846.

Comedy, Loretta Larouche, preferred seating $100 with reception, general admission $30, students $10, 7 p.m., Rogers Center, Merrimack College; 978-873-5355, www.merrimack.edu/rogers.

Live music, Middlesex Community College's fall concert series *A World of Music* presents Just in Time Composers and Players, free, 7:30 p.m., MCC Theater, 5 E. Merrimack St., Lowell; 781-280-3923.

Live music, The Northern Essex Community College Essex Chamber Music Players will perform a program inspired by the work of 19 and 20 century poets, $10, $5 seniors and students, $25 families, 4 p.m., Library Conference Area, Haverhill Campus; Michael Finegold 978-556-3413, mfinegold@necc.mass.edu.

Live music, dedication of vintage Miller Grand Piano, free offering to benefit Belleville Restoration Fund, 2 p.m., Belleville Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 300 High St., Newburyport; 978-465-7734.

Live music, Fall Jazz Series, Barbara and Al Boudreau Jazz Quartet featuring Jack Senier and Mark Carlsen, 5–9 p.m., reservations recommended, Ipswich Bar and Grill, Ipswich; 978-356-7006.

Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind, 4 p.m., *see Nov. 7.*

Book sale, noon-3 p.m., *see Nov. 8 entry.*

Ongoing

Art Exhibitions

Addison Gallery of American Art, *Fred Wilson: Objects and Installations, 1979-2000*, through Nov. 9; *Stephen Greene: Painter and Mentor*, through Jan. 4; and *Chance Encounters: (Un)selected works from the Addison Collection*, through Nov. 9; gallery hours Tuesday – Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1-5 p.m., Addison Gallery of American Art, Phillips Academy; 978-749-4015 www.addisongallery.org.

Andover Historical Society, artist Doug Johnson; exhibit *Lucy's Acre: A Place in Time*, tour the Amos Blanchard House and Barn Museum for a glimpse into life in the early 19th century, Tuesday through Friday 1-4 p.m, $5 admission, students $3, 97 Main St.; 978-475-2236, www.andhist.org.

Alpers Fine Art of Andover, *Two Voices* through Nov. 30, gallery hours; Wednesday and Thursdays 11 a.m.-8 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-10 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 2 Main St.; 978-470-0013.

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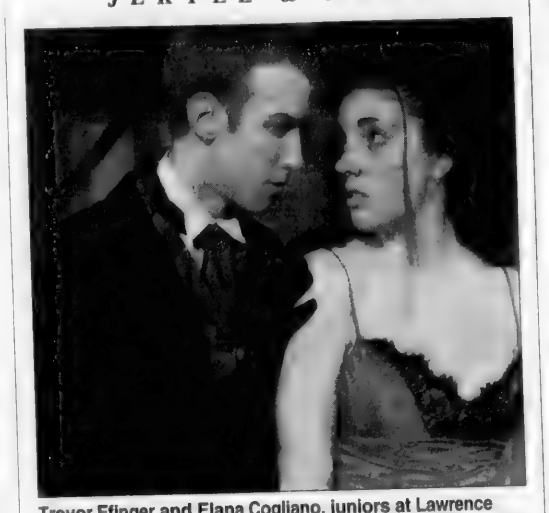

Trevor Efinger and Elana Cogliano, juniors at Lawrence Academy in Groton, are both honor students from Andover and regulars on the school stage. They will perform in the school's fall musical production of *Jekyll & Hyde*, opening tonight, Thursday, Oct. 30. Evil lurks around every corner, but love and virtue put up a strong fight in this rousing gothic musical based on Robert Louis Stevenson's 1886 classic psychological thriller. Trevor, as Dr. Henry Jekyll, hopes to alleviate human suffering by creating a formula that will separate the good and evil in all people; Elana performs as one of the people of Victorian London who lives in terror of the results of the doctor's experiments.
Elana has played the lead role of Meg in *Damn Yankees* and Trevor has portrayed Mike in *A Chorus Line*. They also sing in the school's a cappella group and dance with the LA troupe that performed at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival in Scotland this past summer. Elana and Trevor are currently studying dance in the Boston Youth Moves program at the Jeannette Neil Studio in Boston and will perform *Not the Nutcracker* in early December.
Trevor is a participant in the program that allows him to create his own curriculum for the school year and includes an internship at the Merrimack Repertory Theatre sponsored by the school's Ansin Foundation. His studies will focus on artistic direction in the performing arts, specifically in dance and musical theatre. Performances of *Jekyll & Hyde* are open to the public and will take place in the Ginsburg Theatre at Lawrence Academy, Oct. 30, 31 and Nov. 1 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are $5 and may be reserved by calling Laura LeBlanc at 978-448-1565.

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Archaeology, *Objects and their Meanings: Historical Highlights of the Peabody,* displays ethnographic objects from the museum's collections of North and South America and a series of photographs that illustrate the activities of the museum's key people during the last century; Tuesday through Saturday, noon-5 p.m., by appointment only, free admission, Phillips Academy campus, 175 Main St.; 978-749-4490.

Essex Art Center, Oct. 24 through Dec. 12, Main Gallery *Annual Juried Show* . Elizabeth Beland Gallery, Kelly Kaczynski Installation, Tuesday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday 10 a.m-5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 56 Island St., Lawrence; 978-685-2343.

McCoy Gallery, through Nov. 21, artist Steven Careau's exhibit "Façons" works on paper and in metal, Merrimack College; 978-837-5000, Ext. 4205.

Brush Art Gallery, *A Survey of Paintings by Tom Gill,* through Nov. 2, gallery hours Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday, noon-4 p.m., 256 Market St., Lowell; 978-459-7819.

Whistler House Museum of Art, Wednesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., $4, 243 Worthen St., Lowell; 978-452-7641.

Arthur Griffin Center for Photographic Art, Main Gallery, *Jan Staller: A Retrospective,* through Nov. 28; Emerging Artists Gallery, *Hard Boys & Bad Girls,* Nov. 6-Jan 15, Tuesday-Sunday, noon to 4 p.m., $5 admission, Thursday admission is free all day, 67 Shore Road, Winchester; 781-729-1158, www.griffinmuseum.org.

Sakowich Campus Center, at Merrimack College, the Fireside and First floor lounges, call for hours; 978-837-5000, Ext. 4205.

McQuade Gallery, artist Cathy McLaurin, installations, sculptures and works on paper, Merrimack College, through Oct. 31 (in the McQuade Library), gallery hours Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m.-11 p.m., Friday, 7:30 a.m. -6 p.m., Saturday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Sunday, 11 a.m.-11 p.m.; closed weekends in January; 978-837-5000, Ext. 4205.

Revolving Museum, through April 2, LocalMotive: Gallery Exhibit, indoor gallery space will be transformed into an interactive exhibit celebrating the wonders of the natural world. Audiences will be taken on a journey through a variety of innovative artworks that explore issues like pollution control and spirituality through nature, artist-driven museum, dedicated to presenting public art, exhibitions, educational programs, gallery hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday noon-4 p.m., 22 Shattuck St., Lowell; 978-937-2787.

J. David Broudo Gallery of Art, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Endicott College, 376 Hale St. (Route 127) Beverly; 978-232-2250.

Montserrat College of Art Gallery, Monday-Thursday, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, noon-4 p.m., 23 Essex St., Beverly; 978-921-4242.

Senior Center artists, talented artists participate in art classes and enjoy the "drop-in group" on Wednesday and Thursday mornings, art display of oils, watercolors, pencil, pen and ink, pastels and oriental brush art is in the Music Room; Andover Senior Center, Whittier Court; 978-623-8321.

Memorial Hall Library, Artist of the Month series features Merrimack Valley Quilters, Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Sunday, noon-5 p.m.; 978-623-8400, www.mhl.org.

Flint Memorial Library, 147 Park St., North Reading; 978-664-4942, www.flintmemoriallibrary.org.

Churchill Gallery, Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Sunday, 12:30-5:30 p.m., 6 Inn St., Newburyport, 978-462-9891.

Seven Andover residents have been chosen as members of the Greater Boston Youth Symphony Orchestras (GBYSO) for the 2003-04 season. An independent organization housed at Boston University's School for the Arts, GBYSO offers a variety of musical opportunities for young performers throughout New England. From left, the Andover residents are Alexandra Morgan-Welch, Miki Nagahara, Galadiel Hernandez, George Cheng and John Diodati. Not pictured are Athena Hsieh and Sol Jin. Depending on their level of experience and musical interest, students perform with the Senior Orchestra, the Repertory Orchestra, the Chamber Orchestra, the Junior Repertory Orchestra, or the Preparatory String Orchestra. GBYSO members come from throughout New England to rehearse weekly from September through June at the University's College of Fine Arts and perform each year throughout the Boston area and on tour.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tobias Wolff to read from "Old School" at Phillips Academy

Tobias Wolff, award-winning author of *This Boy's Life* and *The Night in Question*, will read from his new novel, *Old School*, at 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 14, in Kemper Auditorium, Chapel Avenue, on the Phillips Academy campus. The reading, free and open to the public, is sponsored by the Phillips Academy English department and the academy's John M. Kemper Memorial Fund.

Wolff set *Old School* in 1960 at a New England boarding school with a strong literary tradition. According to *Publisher's Weekly*, "This is Wolff's first full-length novel (and his first book in seven years) and as such will likely receive much critical attention. Fans of the author's short stories – regularly published in the *New Yorker* – should be pleased by his departure from form."

Wolff is a professor of English and creative writing at Stanford University. Born in Birmingham, Ala., he briefly attended the Hill School in Pottstown, Pa., described in his 1989 memoir, *This Boy's Life*. He later was a Green Beret in Vietnam, relating those experiences in his 1994 memoir, *In Pharoah's Army*. After earning bachelor's and master's degrees from Oxford University and a master's degree from Stanford, he published his first collection of short stories, *In the Garden of North American Martyrs*, in 1981. His novella, *Barracks Thief*, won the PEN/Faulkner Award as the best work of fiction in 1984. *This Boy's Life* was made into a 1993 movie starring Robert DeNiro, Leonardo DiCaprio and Ellen Barkin.

For more information, contact the Phillips Academy English Department at 978-749-4185.

On tap at Crossroads

Sally Rogers and Howie Bursen will perform at Crossroads Coffeehouse next Saturday, Nov. 8. An accomplished guitar and mountain dulcimer player, Rogers' voice has been described by critics as "captivating, beautiful, and pure."

Sally Rogers

But her greatest talent is her ability to engage audiences of any age with her songs and stories, they said. Since becoming a parent, Rogers has also turned her talents to performing music for children and families.

Howie Bursen, known for his warm baritone voice, "devilish sense of humor," inventive guitar arrangements, and red-hot banjo wizardry will be performing with Rogers. Doors open 7:15 p.m., the concert starts 8, and tickets are $12. Crossroads Coffeehouse is at North Parish Church, 190 Academy Road, North Andover. For information, call 978-687-3960 (978-687-7948 evening of the concert) or visit www.crossroads-coffeehouse.org.

Local youth choir performs opera and concert

The Treble Chorus of New England, youth choirs in residence at Merrimack College, begin their 2003-04 concert season at 7 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 1 at the Rogers Center, Merrimack College with the performance of Henry Purcell's opera, *Dido and Aeneas* and a choral performance of the same theme. Tickets are $10 in advance, $12 at door. Call the box office at 978-837-5355, or Treble Chorus at 978-837-5461.

Shakespeare Reading Group plans next meeting

The Shakespeare Reading Group is an informal gathering of people interested in reading through Shakespeare plays. Readers take one or more roles. No experience or special knowledge is necessary. They will meet next on Wednesday, Nov. 12 at 7:30 p.m. Meetings are in the Memorial Hall Library's Activities Room on the basement level. Readers should each bring a copy of *Hamlet*.

The group invites all interested people to drop in. For more information, contact Eric Braude at braude@comcast.net, or 978-749-3185.

Revving up auction plans

■ HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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will be used as a centerpiece or decoration during the auction. These "tastes and treasures" will be donated to Lazarus House in Lawrence following the auction as a way of giving back to the community, organizers said, as supporters give to the Historical Society.

All proceeds from the combined Tastes & Treasures events support the educational mission of the Andover Historical Society, which is home to more than 40,000 paintings, documents, articles of clothing, local manufactures and other items representing the history and evolution of Andover. Memberships and admissions provide less than half the cost of maintaining the facility, collections and services.

For further information, call 978-475-2236 or visit www.andhist.org.

The Andover Historical Society and Amos Blanchard House and Barn Museum, 97 Main St., celebrate the rich history of Andover and the greater Merrimack Valley. The Society offers a variety of educational programs to individuals and groups of all ages.

For further information about the book sale, call 978-475-2236; or visit the Web site at www.andhist.org.

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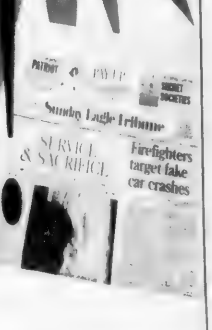

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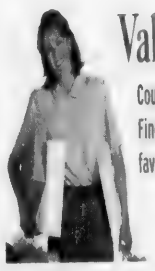

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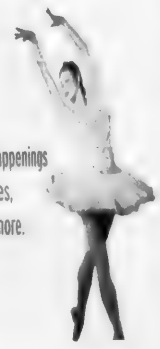

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free, 7 p.m., Flint Memorial Library, 147 Park St., North Reading; 978-664-4942, www.flintmemorialllibrary.org

Live music, Hot Day at the Zoo, 8 p.m., $10, Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Lecture, Northern Essex Community College's Life Long Learning Program, presents comedian Bob Seibel $1, 2 p.m., Library Conference area, Haverhill campus; 978-556-3825

Readings, Wingate Writers Group is hosting a reading of fiction writers, David Crouse, Joan Longwell and Ron Thimot, free, 7 p.m., Crescent Dragon Coffeehouse, 59 Washington St., Haverhill; 978-521-1652.

Meeting, United Fly Tyers hosts tying instructions (hooks and most materials supplied, bring vise and tools) 6:30 p.m., and speakers 8 p.m., members $5, non-members $10, Knights of Columbus Hall, Burlington; Arthur C. Williams, acwilliams@bigplanet.com.

Friday, November 7

Plays, *Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind, (30 Neo-Futurist Plays in 60 Minutes)*, free, 7 p.m., tickets required, Addison Gallery of American Art galleries, Phillips Academy campus; Jen Lawlor 978-749-4023.

Wine tasting, Merrimack Valley Hospice fundraiser, $50 per person, 7-9 p.m., Old Town Hall, 20 Main St.; 978-552-4748.

Andover High School Varsity Football Game, "Senior Night," Andover Golden Warriors host Chelmsford High, $5 adults, $3 seniors and students, 7 p.m. kick off, Eugene Lovely Field, Andover High School, Shawsheen Road, Dave Nichols or Brian McNally, 978-623-8570

Live music, Golden Oldies, The Drifters and The Coasters $20-$22, 7:30 p.m., Rogers Center, Merrimack College; 978-873-5355, www.merrimack.edu/rogers

Theater, the Top Notch Players will perform *As You Like It*, $10 adults, $8 seniors and students, 8 p.m., Top Notch Theatre, Spurk Building, Haverhill Campus; Jim Murphy 978-556-3374

Live music, DaVinci's Notebook, 8 p.m., $10-$12, Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755

Theater, *After Hours at the North Shore*, North Shore Music Theater offers an evening for the 35 and under crowd to meet fellow theater goers and mingle with the artistic team of *West Side Story*, $34-$56, 8 p.m., 62 Dunham Road (Route 128, exit 19), Beverly; 978-232-7200, www.nsmt.org

Saturday, November 8

Ball, Andona Society Annual Ball, $150 per couple, $75 single, cocktails 7 p.m., dinner 8 p.m., followed by dancing, Atkinson Country Club, Atkinson N.H., information and reservations Joan Heim 978-975-1193.

Live music, Sally Rogers and Howie Bursen, $12, doors open 7:15 p.m., show 8 p.m., Crossroads Coffeehouse, North Parish Church, 190 Academy Road, North Andover; 978-687-3960 (978-687-7948 evening of the concert) www.crossroadscoffeehouse.com

Live music, Reading Symphony Orchestra, $15, $8 seniors and students, under 12 free, 8 p.m., Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College, North Andover; 978-475-6518.

Book sale, the Friends of the Stevens Memorial Library annual fall booksale, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 345 Main St., North Andover, 978-689-9549.

Conference, *Shaping the Future of Essex County Practical Solutions for Sustainable Growth* conference, $15 includes a continental breakfast and lunch, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Merrimack College, North Andover, space is limited and preregistration is required, contact the Essex County Community Foundation 978-887-8876.

Live music, two shows, 4 Way Street, $8-$10, 7 p.m., Nicole Nelson Band, $8, 10 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Christmas fair, Sacred Heart and Sainte Marie Parishes of Lowell will hold a Christmas fair, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sacred Heart School, 122 Andrews St., Lowell; 978-453-3962.

Tour, a fine and decorative arts tour of the Phillips House, free, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 34 Chestnut St., Salem; 978-744-0440.

Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind, *see Nov. 7.*

As You Like It, *see Nov. 7.*

Sunday, November 9

Live music, Exsultemus program "Mind Your Mannerists," $10-$20, $5 seniors, students, under 18 free, 3 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy campus; 617-945-2786, www.exsultemus.org.

Lecture, Dr. Jean Wu of Tufts University will lecture on Racism and Asian Americans, presentation is geared for parents of adopted Asian children, $7, 3 p.m., White Auditorium, Phillips Academy campus, preregistration required 978-749-4846.

Comedy, Loretta Larouche, preferred seating $100 with reception, general admission $30, students $10, 7 p.m., Rogers Center, Merrimack College; 978-873-5355, www.merrimack.edu/rogers.

Live music, Middlesex Community College's fall concert series *A World of Music* presents Just in Time Composers and Players, free, 7:30 p.m., MCC Theater, 5 E. Merrimack St., Lowell; 781-280-3923.

Live music, The Northern Essex Community College Essex Chamber Music Players will perform a program inspired by the work of 19 and 20 century poets, $10, $5 seniors and students, $25 families, 4 p.m., Library Conference Area, Haverhill Campus; Michael Finegold 978-556-3413, mfinegold@necc.mass.edu.

Live music, dedication of vintage Miller Grand Piano, free offering to benefit Belleville Restoration Fund, 2 p.m., Belleville Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 300 High St., Newburyport; 978-465-7734.

Live music, Fall Jazz Series, Barbara and Al Boudreau Jazz Quartet featuring Jack Senier and Mark Carlsen, 5–9 p.m., reservations recommended, Ipswich Bar and Grill, Ipswich; 978-356-7006.

Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind, 4 p.m., *see Nov. 7.*

Book sale, noon-3 p.m., *see Nov. 8 entry.*

Ongoing

Art Exhibitions

Addison Gallery of American Art, *Fred Wilson: Objects and Installations, 1979-2000*, through Nov. 9; *Stephen Greene: Painter and Mentor*, through Jan. 4; and *Chance Encounters: (Un)selected works from the Addison Collection*, through Nov. 9; gallery hours Tuesday – Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1-5 p.m., Addison Gallery of American Art, Phillips Academy; 978-749-4015 www.addisongallery.org.

Andover Historical Society, artist Doug Johnson; exhibit *Lucy's Acre: A Place in Time*, tour the Amos Blanchard House and Barn Museum for a glimpse into life in the early 19th century, Tuesday through Friday 1-4 p.m, $5 admission, students $3, 97 Main St.; 978-475-2236, www.andhist.org.

Alpers Fine Art of Andover, *Two Voices* through Nov. 30, gallery hours; Wednesday and Thursdays 11 a.m.-8 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-10 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 2 Main St.; 978-470-0013.

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JEKYLL & HYDE

Trevor Efinger and Elana Cogliano, juniors at Lawrence Academy in Groton, are both honor students from Andover and regulars on the school stage. They will perform in the school's fall musical production of *Jekyll & Hyde*, opening tonight, Thursday, Oct. 30. Evil lurks around every corner, but love and virtue put up a strong fight in this rousing gothic musical based on Robert Louis Stevenson's 1886 classic psychological thriller. Trevor, as Dr. Henry Jekyll, hopes to alleviate human suffering by creating a formula that will separate the good and evil in all people; Elana performs as one of the people of Victorian London who lives in terror of the results of the doctor's experiments.
Elana has played the lead role of Meg in *Damn Yankees* and Trevor has portrayed Mike in *A Chorus Line*. They also sing in the school's a cappella group and dance with the LA troupe that performed at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival in Scotland this past summer. Elana and Trevor are currently studying dance in the Boston Youth Moves program at the Jeannette Neil Studio in Boston and will perform *Not the Nutcracker* in early December.
Trevor is a participant in the program that allows him to create his own curriculum for the school year and includes an internship at the Merrimack Repertory Theatre sponsored by the school's Ansin Foundation. His studies will focus on artistic direction in the performing arts, specifically in dance and musical theatre. Performances of *Jekyll & Hyde* are open to the public and will take place in the Ginsburg Theatre at Lawrence Academy, Oct. 30, 31 and Nov. 1 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are $5 and may be reserved by calling Laura LeBlanc at 978-448-1565.

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Archaeology, *Objects and their Meanings: Historical Highlights of the Peabody,* displays ethnographic objects from the museum's collections of North and South America and a series of photographs that illustrate the activities of the museum's key people during the last century; Tuesday through Saturday, noon-5 p.m., by appointment only, free admission, Phillips Academy campus, 175 Main St.; 978-749-4490.

Essex Art Center, Oct. 24 through Dec. 12, Main Gallery *Annual Juried Show* , Elizabeth Beland Gallery, Kelly Kaczynski Installation, Tuesday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday 10 a.m-5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 56 Island St., Lawrence; 978-685-2343.

McCoy Gallery, through Nov. 21, artist Steven Careau's exhibit "Façons" works on paper and in metal, Merrimack College; 978-837-5000, Ext. 4205.

Brush Art Gallery, *A Survey of Paintings by Tom Gill,* through Nov. 2, gallery hours Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday, noon-4 p.m., 256 Market St., Lowell; 978-459-7819.

Whistler House Museum of Art, Wednesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., $4, 243 Worthen St., Lowell; 978-452-7641.

Arthur Griffin Center for Photographic Art, Main Gallery, *Jan Staller: A Retrospective,* through Nov. 28; Emerging Artists Gallery, *Hard Boys & Bad Girls,* Nov. 6-Jan 15, Tuesday-Sunday, noon to 4 p.m., $5 admission, Thursday admission is free all day, 67 Shore Road, Winchester; 781-729-1158, www.griffinmuseum.org.

Sakowich Campus Center, at Merrimack College, the Fireside and First floor lounges, call for hours; 978-837-5000, Ext. 4205.

McQuade Gallery, artist Cathy McLaurin, installations, sculptures and works on paper, Merrimack College, through Oct. 31 (in the McQuade Library), gallery hours Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m.-11 p.m., Friday, 7:30 a.m. -6 p.m., Saturday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Sunday, 11 a.m.-11 p.m.; closed weekends in January; 978-837-5000, Ext. 4205.

Revolving Museum, through April 2, LocalMotive: Gallery Exhibit, indoor gallery space will be transformed into an interactive exhibit celebrating the wonders of the natural world. Audiences will be taken on a journey through a variety of innovative artworks that explore issues like pollution control and spirituality through nature, artist-driven museum, dedicated to presenting public art, exhibitions, educational programs, gallery hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday noon-4 p.m., 22 Shattuck St., Lowell; 978-937-2787.

J. David Broudo Gallery of Art, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Endicott College, 376 Hale St. (Route 127) Beverly; 978-232-2250.

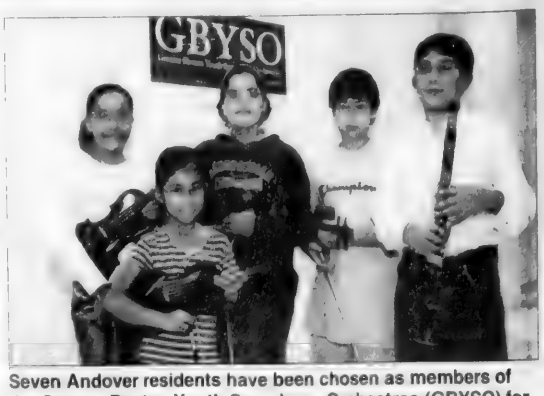
Montserrat College of Art Gallery, Monday-Thursday, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, noon-4 p.m., 23 Essex St., Beverly; 978-921-4242.

Senior Center artists, talented artists participate in art classes and enjoy the "drop-in group" on Wednesday and Thursday mornings, art display of oils, watercolors, pencil, pen and ink, pastels and oriental brush art is in the Music Room; Andover Senior Center, Whittier Court; 978 623-8321.

Memorial Hall Library, Artist of the Month series features Merrimack Valley Quilters, Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Sunday, noon 5 p.m.; 978-623-8400, www.mhl.org.

Flint Memorial Library, 147 Park St., North Reading; 978-664-4942, www.flintmemoriallibrary.org.

Churchill Gallery, Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Sunday, 12:30-5:30 p.m., 6 Inn St., Newburyport, 978-462-9891.



Seven Andover residents have been chosen as members of the Greater Boston Youth Symphony Orchestras (GBYSO) for the 2003-04 season. An independent organization housed at Boston University's School for the Arts, GBYSO offers a variety of musical opportunities for young performers throughout New England. From left, the Andover residents are Alexandra Morgan-Welch, Miki Nagahara, Galadiel Hernandez, George Cheng and John Diodati. Not pictured are Athena Hsieh and Sol Jin. Depending on their level of experience and musical interest, students perform with the Senior Orchestra, the Repertory Orchestra, the Chamber Orchestra, the Junior Repertory Orchestra, or the Preparatory String Orchestra. GBYSO members come from throughout New England to rehearse weekly from September through June at the University's College of Fine Arts and perform each year throughout the Boston area and on tour.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tobias Wolff to read from "Old School" at Phillips Academy

Tobias Wolff, award-winning author of *This Boy's Life* and *The Night in Question,* will read from his new novel, *Old School,* at 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 14, in Kemper Auditorium, Chapel Avenue, on the Phillips Academy campus. The reading, free and open to the public, is sponsored by the Phillips Academy English department and the academy's John M. Kemper Memorial Fund.

Wolff set *Old School* in 1960 at a New England boarding school with a strong literary tradition. According to *Publisher's Weekly,* "This is Wolff's first full-length novel (and his first book in seven years) and as such will likely receive much critical attention. Fans of the author's short stories – regularly published in the *New Yorker* – should be pleased by his departure from form."

Wolff is a professor of English and creative writing at Stanford University. Born in Birmingham, Ala., he briefly attended the Hill School in Pottstown, Pa., described in his 1989 memoir, *This Boy's Life.* He later was a Green Beret in Vietnam, relating those experiences in his 1994 memoir, *In Pharoah's Army.* After earning bachelor's and master's degrees from Oxford University and a master's degree from Stanford, he published his first collection of short stories, *In the Garden of North American Martyrs,* in 1981. His novella, *Barracks Thief,* won the PEN/Faulkner Award as the best work of fiction in 1984. *This Boy's Life* was made into a 1993 movie starring Robert DeNiro, Leonardo DiCaprio and Ellen Barkin.

For more information, contact the Phillips Academy English Department at 978-749-4185.

On tap at Crossroads

Sally Rogers and Howie Bursen will perform at Crossroads Coffeehouse next Saturday, Nov. 8. An accomplished guitar and mountain dulcimer player, Rogers' voice has been described by critics as "captivating, beautiful, and pure."

Sally Rogers

But her greatest talent is her ability to engage audiences of any age with her songs and stories, they said. Since becoming a parent, Rogers has also turned her talents to performing music for children and families.

Howie Bursen, known for his warm baritone voice, "devilish sense of humor," inventive guitar arrangements, and red-hot banjo wizardry will be performing with Rogers. Doors open 7:15 p.m., the concert starts 8, and tickets are $12. Crossroads Coffeehouse is at North Parish Church, 190 Academy Road, North Andover. For information, call 978-687-3960 (978-687-7948 evening of the concert) or visit www.crossroads-coffeehouse.org.

Local youth choir performs opera and concert

The Treble Chorus of New England, youth choirs in residence at Merrimack College, begin their 2003-04 concert season at 7 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 1 at the Rogers Center, Merrimack College with the performance of Henry Purcell's opera, *Dido and Aeneas* and a choral performance of the same theme. Tickets are $10 in advance, $12 at door. Call the box office at 978-837-5355, or Treble Chorus at 978-837-5461.

Shakespeare Reading Group plans next meeting

The Shakespeare Reading Group is an informal gathering of people interested in reading through Shakespeare plays. Readers take one or more roles. No experience or special knowledge is necessary. They will meet next on Wednesday, Nov. 12 at 7:30 p.m. Meetings are in the Memorial Hall Library's Activities Room on the basement level. Readers should each bring a copy of *Hamlet.*

The group invites all interested people to drop in. For more information, contact Eric Braude at braude@comcast.net, or 978-749-3185.

Revving up auction plans

■ **HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

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will be used as a centerpiece or decoration during the auction. These "tastes and treasures" will be donated to Lazarus House in Lawrence following the auction as a way of giving back to the community, organizers said, as supporters give to the Historical Society.

All proceeds from the combined Tastes & Treasures events support the educational mission of the Andover Historical Society, which is home to more than 40,000 paintings, documents, articles of clothing, local manufactures and other items representing the history and evolution of Andover. Memberships and admissions provide less than half the cost of maintaining the facility, collections and services.

For further information, call 978-475-2236 or visit www.andhist.org.

The Andover Historical Society and Amos Blanchard House and Barn Museum, 97 Main St., celebrate the rich history of Andover and the greater Merrimack Valley. The Society offers a variety of educational programs to individuals and groups of all ages.

For further information about the book sale, call 978-475-2236; or visit the Web site at www.andhist.org.

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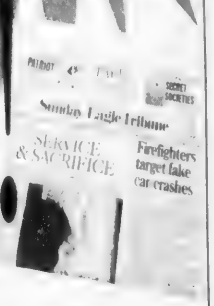

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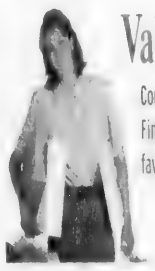

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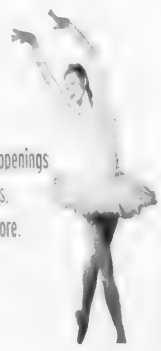

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Regardless of what happens this weekend, the Golden Warriors [illegible] the top two teams in the conference when they collide.

If coach [illegible] knocks off the three-time [illegible] MVC [illegible] will move into first place [illegible].

Neither of the final [illegible] is [illegible] easy, as AHS hits the road to play at Billerica [illegible] three straight [illegible] on Nov. 14 and in Lawrence versus Central Catholic [illegible].

Central may have [illegible] last weekend when Lowell [illegible] over the Raiders.

Chelmsford is currently [illegible] and 6-1 overall, following a 34-8 [illegible] last weekend.

Andover is 4-1 in the MVC and [illegible] stretched its win streak to three [illegible] 21-13 victory over Dracut at Lovely Field.

The Golden Warriors' next game [illegible] the MVC race, as the locals journey to Exeter, N.H. Saturday afternoon to face undefeated [illegible] New Hampshire Division 2 champ Exeter High at Eustis Field.

The game has a 1 p.m. kickoff.

Exeter is 8-0, has beaten seven of its eight opponents by 20 points or more, and is coming off a 45-6 thrashing of Bishop Guertin High of Nashua.

While a win over the Blue Hawks would be a nice feather in the Golden Warriors' headdress, much of the focus will be on keeping everyone healthy for the Chelmsford game.

[illegible] tunes up for Andover when [illegible] Dracut tomorrow night.

Coach Bill Ball's Exeter team has not faced a real challenge all season, and last week handled a respectable Guertin team with ease.

Brett Coffey scored twice for the Blue Hawks, who piled up 319 yards rushing and scored in every quarter.

Other touchdowns, all on short runs, were notched by Patrick Murphy, Ryan Corti, Dan Randlett and Dan O[illegible].

Placekicker Brad Rowe kicked five extra points and a [illegible]-yard field goal to complete the scoring.

Matt Hennessy (No. 24) runs around the Dracut defense. Andover's Golden Warriors hosted the Middies and won the game, 21-13, under the lights at Lovely Field last Friday, Oct. 24. At top right: It was a big win for the Warriors, who now have a shot at the MVC championship.

Earlier Exeter wins came over Granite State opponents Merrimack (38-7), Keene (31-7), Portsmouth (35-6), Winnacunnet High of Hampton (12-0), Timberlane Regional of Plaistow (30-7), Alvirne High of Hudson (45-0) and Spaulding High of Rochester (28-6).

The Blue Hawks have outscored the opposition by a whopping 264-39 margin.

Andover leads the brief but highly-competitive series against Exeter, 2-1, handing the state champs their only loss last year, 18-11, and winning 21-20 two years ago. The Hawks took the first meeting, 16-14.

Chelmsford, shooting for its fourth straight MVC championship, has won its last five after a 15-12 non-league loss to Acton-Boxboro which has the longest current win streak in the state (32 games).

The Lions have won four games by 21 or more points and outscored the enemy, 180-66.

Ace running back Dave Leach, despite missing one game, has 62 points and 837 yards rushing this fall. He also has more than 200 points and 2,000 yards in his CHS career.

Veteran quarterback and head coach's son Bruce Rich is versatile and dangerous, having thrown nine TD passes and scored three touchdowns himself. He has completed close to 70 percent of his passes over the last three seasons.

Adam McHugh has four TD receptions while both fullback Bobby Brown and Bob Gill boast 18 points each.

Rich tossed three scoring passes in last weekend's 34-8 blast past Haverhill, completing 15-of-18 passes overall for 177 yards as the Lions rolled out to a 34-0 halftime lead and piled up 422 net yards from scrimmage.

Chelmsford outslugged Andover 34-20 last fall and 34-32 in a wild game two years ago.

The Lions have won four straight over AHS, since a 35-33 Golden Warriors victory in 1998, and since 1980 Chelmsford holds a commanding 15-5-1 series edge.

Last weekend all the scoring against stubborn Dracut came in the first half, as Andover once again used its girth in the trenches and speed in the backfield to overcome an opponent.

The Golden Warriors ran for 285 yards, as Shaheen Ghandchi followed some ferocious blocking for a game-high 151 yards in 14 carries. He now has 302 yards in the past two games and more than 500 for the season.

Matt Hennessy, with more than 700 yards this fall, added 97 on 17 rushes.

Helping keep the game close were 87 yards in penalties against AHS.

Defensively, Shaheen Ghandchi and Nate Wiech came through with a huge fumble recovery late in the game to prevent the Middies from possibly tying the game and forcing overtime.

Dracut, meanwhile, hung tough despite the absence of top runner Jon Schiripo (42 points, 569 yards rushing) who was sidelined by tonsilitis.

That left a gaping hole in the Middies' offensive backfield, placing a large burden on the shoulders of junior quarterback Tim Dillon.

Dillon threw the ball 29 times, completing 15 for 154 yards including his ninth and 10th TD tosses of the season.

Andover scored on its first three possessions, grab-

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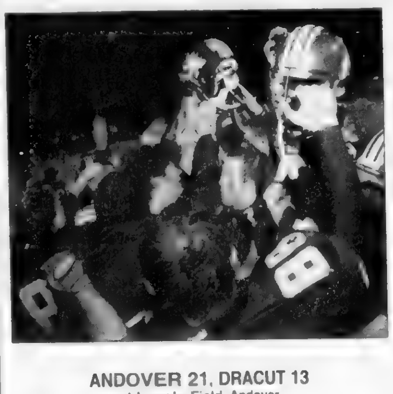
GAME SUMMARY



ANDOVER 21, DRACUT 13
at Lovely Field, Andover

Dracut	0	13	0	0	—	13
Andover	14	7	0	0	—	21

First Quarter
A: Mike Muccio 4 run (Joel Keefe kick)
A: Ryan Donahue 7 pass from Geoff Stevens (Keefe kick)

Second Quarter
D: Jon Llewellyn 21 pass from Tim Dillon (Matt Thomas kick)
A: Stevens 3 run (Keefe kick)
D: Brad Caravoulias 11 pass from Dillon (kick failed)

Third Quarter
No scoring

Fourth Quarter
No scoring

Team Statistics
First Downs: Andover 12, Dracut 14
Rushes/Yards: Andover 44-285, Dracut 17-51
Passing: Andover 4-13-1, 28 yards, TD; Dracut 15-29-2, 154 yards, 2 TDs.
Total Yards: Andover 313, Dracut 205
Fumbles/Lost: Andover 0-0, Dracut 1-1
Punts/Ave: Andover 3-30.3, Dracut 4-33.5
Penalties/Yards: Andover 8-87, Dracut 1-5
Scrimmage Plays: Andover 61, Dracut 52
Records: Andover 5-2, Dracut 3-4

Individual Statistics
Rushing: A: A. Shaheen Ghandchi 14-151; Matt Hennessy 17-97; Geoff Stevens 10-27, TD, Mike Muccio 1-4, TD; Ben Newman 1-3 Buddy Farnham 1-3. D. Derek Hunt 10-40; Tim Dillon 5-10. David Connors 2-1
Passing: A. Geoff Stevens 4-13-1, 28 yards, TD. D, Tim Dillon 15-29-2, 154 yards, 2 TDs.
Receiving: A. Buddy Farnham 2-14; Ryan Donahue 1-7, TD Shaheen Ghandchi 1-7. D, Jon Llewellyn 5-69, TD; Brian Frederick 4-33, Brad Caravoulias 3-26; Matt Thomas 2-19; David Connors 1-7.
Interceptions: A. Mike Muccio 1, Matt Hennessy 1
Fumble Recoveries: A. Shaheen Ghandchi 1
Tackles: A, Matt Hennessy 7, Shaheen Ghandchi 7; Buddy Farnham 6; John Fox 5; Matt Wolfman 4, Mike Muccio 4; Phil Perkins 3, Larry Masse 3, Brett Herlihy 3, Nate Wiech 2; Jason Shoemaker 2; Chris Fiorention 1; Ben Newman 1; Dave Vining 1, Matt Quinlan 1
Sacks By: A, Larry Masse 3; Brett Herlihy 1

MVC FOOTBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	OVL	PF	PA
Chelmsford	5	0	6-1	180	66
ANDOVER	4	1	5-2	183	83
Billerica	3	1	3-4	115	103
Lowell	3	2	5-2	137	75
Central Catholic	2	2	5-2	125	70
Tewksbury	2	3	2-4	75	143
Haverhill	1	3	2-4	74	125
Dracut	0	4	3-4	139	115
Methuen	0	4	2-4	84	144

Results Last Weekend
ANDOVER 21, Dracut 13
Chelmsford 34, Haverhill 8
Lowell 14, Central Catholic 7
Billerica 34, Tewksbury 7
Methuen 13, Lawrence 2 (non-league)

Games Friday, 7 p.m.
Dracut at Chelmsford (Simonian/Alumni Stadium)
Billerica at Haverhill (Haverhill Stadium)
Lowell at Methuen (Nicholson Stadium)

Games Saturday
ANDOVER at Exeter, N.H., non-league (1 p.m., Eustis Field)
Central Catholic at Tewksbury (2 p.m., Doucette Stadium)

Shaheen Ghandchi (No. 15), with 151 yards in 14 carries against Dracut, now has more than 300 yards in his last two games, and over 500 for the season.

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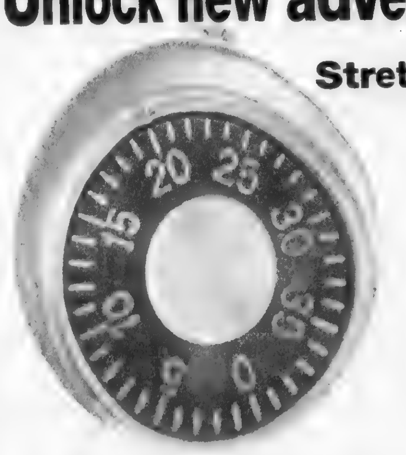

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AHS ROUNDUP

Last few games produce first-place wins

Conference championships earned by field hockey, girls soccer, swim and dive teams

By Rick Harrison

It was a banner week for the Andover High varsity field hockey, girls soccer, and girls swim and dive teams as all earned Merrimack Valley Conference championships after registering important victories during the final days of regular season competition.

The field hockey team edged out Tewksbury for the title by one point, girls soccer finished two points ahead of Billerica and the swim team won a showdown with likewise-undefeated Chelmsford.

The boys soccer team secured second place in MVC Division 1 with a series of strong performances that will send the Golden Warriors flying into tournament play on a high note.

Girls volleyball barely missed out on the MVC 1 title when it dropped a tight 2-1 decision to perennial nemesis Chelmsford in their first-place showdown match at the Dunn Gym.

Andover then earned sole possession of second place with a 2-0 sweep of Haverhill at the annual MVC Volleyball Night.

Pictured are Andover High field hockey coach Maureen Noone (far right) and the five Lady Warrior players selected 2003 Merrimack Valley All-Conference and All-Stars. From left are All-Conference goaltender Elissa Slovin, All-Star Jacqui Munro, team captain and All-Star Stephanie Sweeney, All-Conference Adrienne Shea, team captain and All-Conference Krissy Levis and Noone. Andover, the No. 1 seed in the Division 1 North Tournament, will open play in the single-elimination tourney this afternoon (Thursday) at Andover High (4 p.m.) against either Lowell or Malden. The Lady Warriors completed the regular season as MVC champs with a 14-1-3 overall record. Levis was voted MVP of the conference, Noone is the Coach of the Year for the third time, Slovin has 13 shutouts and has allowed only five goals in 18 games, and Shea has set a single-season school record with 22 goals (and counting).

FIELD HOCKEY

It wasn't easy, but the Andover High varsity field hockey team nailed down its second Merrimack Valley Conference title by finishing one point ahead of Tewksbury in the final standings.

The Lady Warriors secured the crown with a scoreless tie in a head-to-head showdown with Tewksbury, followed by a 2-0 victory over Lawrence in a twice-postponed makeup game.

Those results left AHS at 12-1-3 in the MVC for 27 points, one ahead of runner-up Tewksbury which finished 12-2-2 for 26 points. Third-place Chelmsford was two back at 10-1-5 for 25 points.

The regular season finale was a 5-0 whitewash of non-league foe Bedford.

Coach Maureen Noone's team completed the regular season at 14-1-3 overall, and Andover is now 65-27-18 in its last 110 games.

Goaltender Elissa Slovin has 11 solo shutouts this season, while she and Ayesha Rabinni have shared two others.

The locals have outscored the opposition by a whopping 45-5 margin this fall.

"After graduating several quality players I thought we'd still do well this year, and give everyone a tough time, but I wasn't sure we could win the championship," said coach Noone.

"It's a tremendous tribute to this group of kids, who play the game in a totally unselfish manner and complement one other so well."

MIAA Tournament

Andover was seeded No. 1 in the 19-team Division 1 North Tournament field, and the Lady Warriors open play this afternoon with a first-round game at Andover High.

Faceoff is set for 4 p.m.

Andover will meet the winner of a preliminary round game earlier this week between familiar foe and No. 17 seed Lowell (9-6-3) and No. 16 Malden (9-5-4).

The Lady Warriors smacked Lowell 4-0 in their first encounter this season, but the Red Raiders held AHS to a 0-0 standoff in the rematch on Oct. 10.

If the locals win today, they move to the North quarterfinals of the single-elimination tourney with the opponent, date, time and site of the game to be announced.

Levis conference MVP

Andover senior midfielder and Capt. Krissy Levis edged out Courtney O'Brien of Tewksbury in the balloting for Merrimack Valley Conference MVP.

She joins former Andover standouts Abby Dennehy and Stephanie Casper, who were voted league MVP for the 2000 and 2002 seasons.

Elissa Slovin and Adrienne Shea were also selected to the All-Conference Team, while Jacqui Munro and Stephanie Sweeney are 2003 MVC All-Stars.

All five played in the annual MVC All-Star Game last Sunday in Lowell.

Andover coach Maureen Noone was named the Conference Coach of the Year for the third time.

McCoy injured

Senior defender Ali McCoy sat out the final two games of the regular season with a knee injury (inflammation).

Although she was hobbling, McCoy is expected to return for the tournament opener.

Leading scorers

Adrienne Shea has a single-season school record 22 goals, which eclipses the old mark of 19 set by Grace Farnham, and two assists for 24 points.

Jamie Maltz has five goals and nine assists, Krissy Levis four goals, nine assists and Jacqui Munro one goal and a team-high 11 assists.

Andover 0
Tewksbury 0

Tewksbury would have clinched the MVC championship with a victory, but it didn't happen as goaltender Elissa Slovin stopped all seven TMHS shots on net and forward Jamie Maltz shut down MVC scoring champ Courtney O'Brien.

"It was an exciting and well-played game that could have gone either way," said coach Noone. "Tewksbury's field is very fast and they're much quicker than we are.

"They crossed a lot of balls out front that they didn't connect on, and we had a terrific chance late in the first half when Adrienne Shea hit the post with a shot."

Maltz shadowed TMHS scoring machine O'Brien, who entered the game with 21 goals and five assists.

"It was a tough job but Jamie really didn't allow Courtney to get close to the net where she is most dangerous," said Noone.

Andover's Shea was also held off the board although it did not appear Tewksbury had any special defense devised for her.

"Adrienne didn't feel like she was being marked or double-teamed," said Noone.

For AHS, which held a 9-7 shooting edge and a wide 13-4 advantage in corners, strong defensive efforts were contributed by sweeper Carly Therkelsen and midfielders Krissy Levis, Jacqui Munro and Ali McCoy.

TMHS goaltender Kim Perley finished with nine saves.

Andover beat Tewksbury 1-0 in their earlier meeting on Sept. 29.

Andover 2
Lawrence 0

Undoubtedly suffering a letdown after the rugged 0-0 tie with Tewksbury 24 hours earlier, and tired after playing three games in four days, the Lady Warriors struggled through the title-clinching victory over lowly Lawrence.

"Our kids were exhausted but Lawrence also played very well," said coach Noone, whose team finally broke the ice with a pair of second-half goals.

Adrienne Shea once again figured in all the scoring, netting her 21st goal and setting up the other tally by Jamie Maltz. Krissy Levis assisted on Shea's goal.

Elissa Slovin notched the shutout.

Andover had beaten Lawrence 6-1 back on Sept. 12.

Andover 5
Bedford 0

Playing their fourth game in five days, the visiting Lady Warriors dipped into their energy reserve and dominated the Dual County League Buccaneers.

Conference MVP Krissy Levis scored a pair of goals, both assisted by Jacqui Munro, while Adrienne Shea pocketed her 22nd goal and set up a tally by Jamie Maltz.

Brittany Wadbrook also scored, assist to Stephanie Sweeney, and sophomore forward Casey Salois set up Shea's goal.

Goaltenders Elissa Slovin (40 minutes) and Ayesha Rabinni combined for the team's 13th shutout

Senior forward Lindsay Dodge played well, along with midfielders Zara Golden and Wadbrook.

AHS completed a season series sweep, having also beaten Bedford 3-1 on Sept. 22.

GIRLS SWIM & DIVE

Double wins by Candice Peak, Caitlin Doherty and Liz Mancuso sparked the Andover High girls swim and dive team to a 90½ to 87½ Merrimack Valley Conference showdown victory over archrival Chelmsford in dual-meet action at the Greater Lawrence Vo-Tech pool.

That triumph, and a resounding 96-79 win over Nashua, N.H. High in the twice postponed regular season finale, carried the Lady Warriors to their fifth straight undefeated dual-meet campaign and their fifth MVC title in a row.

Andover, whose last loss was 100-83 to Chelmsford on Oct. 30, 1998, finished with a 12-0 record overall and 10-0 MVC mark

The multi-year dual-meet win streak has now stretched out to 62 in a row.

Chelmsford once again had to settle for second place with a 9-1 conference ledger (10-2 overall).

Schedule

Andover shoots for its fourth straight MVC Championship Meet title today (Thursday) and tomorrow, with the diving competition at Lowell High's Riddick Field House pool this afternoon and the swimming events tomorrow at Haverhill's White Natatorium (4 p.m.).

The North Sectional Meet is Saturday, Nov. 8 at Haverhill and the State Meet is Sunday, Nov. 16 at Harvard University.

The diving starts at 9 a.m. and the swimming at 2:30 p.m. at both season-ending meets.

Andover 90½
Chelmsford 87½

The champion Lady Warriors placed first in 11 of the 12 events, sweeping the 500 free and 100 backstroke, as the meet was nowhere near as close as the final score indicates.

Sophomore Candice Peak touched first in the 200 free (2:00.31) and 100 backstroke (1:01.28).

Sophomore Caitlin Doherty registered her double in the 100 butterfly (58.44 seconds) and 500 free (5:21.96).

Liz Mancuso made it six straight wins since returning to the lineup, capturing both sprints again with a 24.78 clocking in the 50 free and 54.57 in the 100 free.

Adding a victory apiece were junior Diana Harlow (200 IM, 2:14.50) and senior Amy Caron (100 breaststroke, 1:10.04).

Harlow, Caron, Doherty and Mancuso formed the first-place 200 medley relay (1:54.44).

Mancuso also anchored the 200 free relay behind Peak, sophomore Jen McDonald and freshman Tiffany Petzold (1:45.19), while the winning 400 free relay included Capt. Carolyn Cody, Harlow, Peak and anchor Caitlin Doherty (3:54.53).

"The sweep in the 500 was huge," said coach Marilyn Fitzgerald. "I'm sure Chelmsford never expected it and neither did I."

Following Doherty across the line in second and third place were freshman Jenny Geary (5:27.15) and Capt. Jamie Kapelson (5:37.56)

Completing the sweep of the 100 back were Harlow (1:03.50) and freshman Erin McAuliffe (1:07.22)

AHS finished 2-3-4 in the one-meter diving competition with junior Ann Marie Cashman (192.50 points), junior Libby Fortier (185.20 points) and Capt. Casey Frost (180.10 points)

They were chasing the Lions' Rachel Martinez, who broke her own Chelmsford school record by piling up 258.70 points.

Geary was also runner-up in the 200 free (2:03.72), while Caron placed second in the 200 IM (2:15.97).

Additional thirds were contributed by McDonald (50 free, 26.53) and Petzold (100 breast, 1:15.00).

McAuliffe, Petzold, Cody and McDonald finished third in the 200 medley relay (2:01.62) while Geary, Jackie Leahy, Kapelson and Courtney Hamer were third in the 400 free relay (4:00.53)

Placing fourth for the locals were Petzold with a state-cut 2:19.09 in the 200 IM, Tracy O'Malley (50 free, 27.00), Cody (100 fly, 1:04.93) and Hamer (100 free, 59.94).

Fifths went to Kapelson (200 free, 2:08.31), Capt. Liz Pallotta (100 fly, 1:07.06) and junior Amanda Saunders (100 breast, 1:18.03).

McDonald touched sixth in the 100 free (1:02.84)

Andover 96
Nashua, N.H. 79

The Lady Warriors put the exclamation point on another perfect regular season with this lopsided triumph

AHS was first in every event except the 200 medley relay, and registered sweeps in the 200 free, 50 free, 100 butterfly, 100 free, 500 free, 100 backstroke, 100 breaststroke, 200 free relay and one-meter diving.

There were also several more state- and sectional-cut times, while every senior swimmer had at least one top three finish.

Liz Mancuso was the lone double winner, chalking up two more state cuts for good measure while touching first in the 500 free (5:26.59) and 100 breast (1:12.22).

Candice Peak contributed a first in the 100 fly (sectional-cut 1:04.71) and second in the 100 breast (1:16.03).

Diana Harlow produced a memorable state-cut and career-fastest 26.28 time in the 50 free.

Other indivdual victors were Jamie Kapelson (200 free, 2:12.26), Jenny Geary (100 free, sectional-cut 59.21) and Erin McAuliffe (100 back, 1:06.28).

Sweeping the diving were Jen McDonald with a sectional-cut 163.15 points, Andrea Coiro (155.25 points) and Michelle Guy (140.10 points)

First-place relays were the 200 free quartet of Lauren Grobicki, Caitlin Carpentier, Tiffany Petzold and Mancuso (1:48.12), along with the 400 free crew of McDonald, Phuongnhu Nguyen, Harlow and Carolyn Cody (4:08.26).

Additional runners-up were Carpentier (200 free, 2:13.69), Jackie Leahy (200 IM,

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AHS Roundup

■ GIRLS SWIM & DIVE

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2:23.97), Lydia Alovosetti (50 free, 30.28), Christina Casey (100 fly, 1:07.90), Cassandra Valler (100 free, 1:02.28), Amy Caron (500 free, sectional-cut 5:39.87) and Jackie Booth (100 back, 1:19.34)

Harlow, Caron, Caitlin Doherty and Booth were second by a split second in the 200 medley relay (2:04.57)

Tracy O'Malley, Liz Pallotta, Harlow and Peak were second in the 200 free relay (1:50.06), while the runner-up team in the 400 free relay included Kapelson, Jenny Meltz, O'Malley and Petzold (4:10.09).

Completing event sweeps by finishing third were Liz Cremin (200 free, 2:27.03), Margaret Doherty (50 free, 30.52), Amanda Kaminski (100 fly, 1:12.12), Danielle Perry (100 free, 1:13.75), Courtney Hamer (500 free, sectional-cut 5:50.11), Amy Kasparian (100 back, 1:19.35) and Caitlin Doherty (100 breast, sectional-cut 1:16.02)

Third in the 200 medley relay went to Peak, Valler, Cody and Kasparian (2:09.46)

Ellen Delisio was fourth in the 200 IM (2:54.62)

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

The Andover High girls varsity volleyball team wrapped up an 18-2 regular season, including 12-2 as runner-up in MVC 1, with 2-0 wins over Dracut, Methuen and Haverhill to offset the 2-1 loss to Chelmsford.

The Lady Warriors had some false hope at MVC Volleyball Night as Billerica beat Chelmsford in the first game of their match.

But the resilient Lions bounced back to win the last two games and finish at 13-1 in the league, one match ahead of Andover.

By virtue of its loss to AHS, Haverhill dropped to third in MVC 1 with a final league mark of 11-3.

McLaughlin co-MVP

Senior middle hitter and Capt. Ashley McLaughlin was an unanimous choice as Most Valuable Player of Merrimack Valley Conference Division 1, sharing the 2003 honor with Meghan Merritt of Haverhill.

AHS volleyballers selected to the All-Conference Team are Capt. Meagan Merinder, senior outside hitter Adrienne Hinds and sophomore setter Jen Merinder.

All-Star choices are sophomore libero Brittany Pierce and sophomore outside hitter Samantha Kerivan.

Coach George Sullivan, who has hinted he will retire after the season, was named MVC 1 Coach of the Year.

All honorees received awards at the annual MVC Volleyball Night at Chelmsford High.

Tournament pairings

The Division 1 North Tournament pairings were released yesterday, after *Townsman* presstime.

Andover should be among the top three or four seeds and will open the single-elimination tourney with a home match at the Dunn Gym.

Andover 2
Dracut 0

Although coach George Sullivan had some concerns about intensity, the Lady Warriors made it look easy with a 30-15, 30-22 cruise past the host Middies.

"We were a little lackadaisical at times — something we can't afford to be once the tournament starts," said Sullivan.

Ashley McLaughlin was team-high with five kills and five aces, finishing 12-for-14 hitting and 13-for-14 serving.

Meagan Merinder had a busy night with 21-for-25 hitting and 14-for-15 serving, producing one kill and three aces.

Adrienne Hinds went 10-for-10 hitting, with four kills, and was also perfect serving at 11-for-11.

Other leading hitters were Sam Kerivan (4-for-8, one kill), Grisel Vasquez (3-for-3, one kill) and Stephanie Krey (3-for-4, one kill).

Laura Lamontagne finished 10-for-10 serving, with one ace, and she also played outstanding defense.

Setter Jen Merinder contributed 2-for-3 serving, with one ace, and libero Brittany Pierce was sharp defensively and passing.

The Lady Warriors served at 95 percent and hit at 83 percent as a team, finishing the match with 10 aces and 14 kills.

The Andover JV-A team posted a 2-0 sweep in the prelim by game scores of 30-10 and 30-19.

Playing well for the winners were Kristen Pinksten (hitting, serving), middle hitter Caitlin Jackson and Donna Lamontagne (setting).

Andover 2
Methuen 0

The Lady Warriors completed a season series sweep of the Rangers with this lopsided 30-16, 30-11 romp at the Dunn Gym.

The balanced hitting attack was sparked by Sam Kerivan (12-for-13, four kills), Ashley McLaughlin (10-for-11, four kills) and Meagan Merinder (10-for-11, two kills).

Also chipping in at the net were Adrienne Hinds (7-for-7, three kills), Grisel Vasquez (4-for-4), Jen Merinder (4-for-4) and Stephanie Krey (4-for-4).

Laura Lamontagne finished 13-for-13 serving, with three aces, and Kelly O'Dea 13-for-14 with two aces.

Meagan Merinder went 8-for-8 with five aces, McLaughlin 9-for-9 with four aces, Jen Merinder 5-for-5 with one ace, Vasquez 4-for-4 with two aces and Kerri O'Dea 3-for-3.

The Andover JV-A and JV-B teams both won 2-0 prelims, the A-squad by 30-25, 30-26 scores while the undefeated B-team (9-0) rolled 30-25, 30-8.

Playing well for the A were Andrea Kurkul (hitting), Kristen Pinksten (hitting) and Caitlin Jackson (defense).

Chelmsford 2
Andover 1

Andover's frustration continued to mount against Chelmsford as the smaller-but-quicker Lions battled back from a first-game loss to win the pivotal MVC match.

Andover captured the first game handily, 30-20, and came close to registering a sweep before the Lions rallied for a 30-27 victory to square the match.

Chelmsford, 17-3 overall with a 12-match win streak heading into the tournament, carried momentum into the decisive third game and came away with a convincing 30-20 triumph.

"It's hard to explain the hold we seem to have over Andover," said Lions' veteran coach Dana DeFilippo. "They are so tall and athletic. But we find a way to win.

"Our serve-receive was terrible in the first game, but we regrouped and fortunately found it for the last two."

Jenn O'Rourke led the winners with nine service points and six kills, while other standouts included Maxine Barry (seven points, 22 assists), Kristina Martell (seven points, eight kills), Jen Byrne (six kills), Julie Brodie (five kills) and Kristine Hanlon (seven digs).

Chelmsford also blanked Andover 2-0 on Oct. 3.

GIRLS SOCCER

The Andover High girls varsity soccer team wrapped up regular season play with a title-clinching 5-2 thumping of Methuen and a 1-0 non-league loss to powerhouse Notre Dame Academy of Hingham.

Those results left AHS at 13-4-2 overall, including 10-1-2 in the Merrimack Valley Conference, as the locals wrapped up the school's 13th MVC championship in 18 years by finishing two points ahead of Billerica (9-2-2) in Division 1.

All four AHS losses were by one-goal margins, against MIAA Tournament qualifiers, but the Lady Warriors have to be slightly concerned about their 2-4-1 record in the final seven games after an 11-0-1 start.

During the seven-game stretch run Andover was shut out twice and managed just one goal three other times.

Tournament pairings

The Division 1 North Tournament pairings were released yesterday, after *Townsman* presstime.

The Andover girls should be seeded top six and could get at least one home game.

All-Conference

The MVC 1 champs had three players named All-Conference, senior defender Layal Hannah, junior forward Jackie Powers and sophomore midfielder Emily Pallotta.

Senior midfielder Erica Weeks and senior defender Mallory Jaracz were selected as MVC All-Stars.

All five Andover players participated in the annual MVC All-Star Game last Sunday at Lovely Field.

Co-Players of the Year in the conference are Chelmsford High senior forward Jenna Tulley and Billerica senior goalkeeper Brett Maron.

Leading scorers

Through 19 games ultra-talented sharpshooter Jackie Powers leads the attack with 20 goals and eight assists for 28 points.

It is the second straight 20-goal season for Powers (21 last year), putting her in the elite company of Katie Kramer who had back-to-back 23- and 26-goal seasons in 2000 and 2001.

Powers also scored five goals as a freshman and currently has career stats of 46 goals and 17 assists.

Emily Pallotta is next in line with six goals and a team-high 11 assists, while Erica Weeks has six goals, six assists and Jen Hagopian five goals, four assists.

Andover 5
Methuen 2

After scoring two goals six times this fall, Jackie Powers finally produced that elusive first hat trick in the MVC and regular season finale under the lights at Lovely Field.

Junior midfielder Michelle Pirro added two goals in the annual Senior Night game, which officially wrapped up Andover's 13th conference title in 18 years.

The Rangers grabbed a brief 1-0 lead 21 minutes into the game, but less than two minutes later (22:17) Powers netted her first goal after a beautiful give-and-go passing play with Emily Pallotta.

Eight minutes later Powers put the locals ahead to stay with her second goal of the game, setups to Pallotta and Erica Weeks.

Pirro netted her two goals 10 minutes apart early in the second half, boosting the lead to 4-1 with assists to Weeks, Lindsey Timko and Powers.

The first came at 5:05 off a corner kick, and the second was a crisp passing play with Timko and Powers.

After Methuen scored, Powers completed the team's second 'trick of the season (Erica Weeks) with her 20th goal at 34:13.

She ran onto a long punt by goalkeeper Arianna Miliotis who collected her second assist of the season.

Miliotis finished with six saves and defensive standouts included Maura Daniels and Maggie Lamond.

"There was a lot of excitement and desire to win this game," said coach Dick Loschi. "It was Senior Night and we were winning the league championship.

"It was also necessary to stop the bleeding of the last two weeks" (three 2-1 losses and 1-3-1 over a rough five-game stretch).

NDA-Hingham 1
Andover 0

NDA (14-2-2), which also nipped the Lady Warriors 2-1 earlier this month, scored the only goal of the game with 14 minutes left to play.

"She (sophomore midfielder Amy Pratt) shot the ball about 90 miles per hour into the upper right corner of the net," said coach Loschi. "It was an almost impossible shot for any keeper to stop.

"This was played like a tournament game, very fast-paced and aggressive at both ends of the field," added Loschi.

Micaela Smith went the distance in goal and made 12 saves in what Loschi termed a "marvelous effort."

Other standouts included defenders Layal Hannah, Maggie Lamond and junior Emily Korba who made her varsity debut.

This was only the second time this fall Andover, playing its third game in five days, was shut out (0-0 tie with Billerica).

Andover is now 0-6-1 against NDA-Hingham, including four shutouts, since a 4-1 victory versus the south shore giant on Sept. 23, 2000.

BOYS SOCCER

Second-half goals by Ash Edmonds, Vasili Kostakis and Jarrett Mackin wiped out a 2-0 deficit and lifted the red-hot Andover High boys soccer team to a 3-2 victory over Merrimack Valley Conference foe Dracut in the regular season finale.

The win clinched second place in MVC 1, lifting AHS to 11-5-1 overall and 8-4-1 in conference play.

The locals will enter the Division 1 North Tournament 8-1-1 in their last 10 games with a three-game win streak.

Andover has now qualified for the tourney 23 of the last 27 years.

Lowell won the MVC 1 title and Dracut had to settle for third place after losing to the Golden Warriors.

Tournament pairings

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AHS ROUNDUP

■ **BOYS SOCCER**

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All-Conference

Senior midfielder/forward and Capt. Tim Bengston was named to the All-Conference Team for the second straight year.

Senior defender Tim Dugan is All-Conference for the first time, while 2003 MVC All-Stars are senior goalkeeper and Capt. Pat Twomey, senior forward Jarrett Mackin, senior defender Tyler Hopkins and senior midfielder/forward Ash Edmonds.

All six Andover players participated in the annual MVC All-Star Game last Sunday at Lovely Field.

Leading scorers

Tim Bengston leads AHS through 17 regular season games with 13 goals and 14 assists for 27 points.

Jarrett Mackin has 11 goals and six assists, Brian Thompson eight goals and three assists, Greg Spurr two goals, six assists and Vasili Kostakis four goals, two assists.

Andover 3
Dracut 2

The Golden Warriors spoiled host Dracut's annual Senior Night with this come-from-behind win.

Trailing 2-0 at the half, AHS started its climb back to victory when Ash Edmonds connected 10 minutes into the second half.

Tim Bengston rocketed a shot off the crossbar, and the ball bounced to Edmonds who deposited the rebound.

Junior Vasili Kostakis tied it 10 minutes later, converting a pass from Jarrett Mackin who controlled the ball and slid it over to Kostakis on the right side.

Mackin netted the game-winner with 15 minutes left, taking a through pass from Bengston and deftly touching a soft shot over the keeper who was drawn out of the net.

"This was a state tournament level game in intensity," said AHS coach Mike Wartman. "In the first half Dracut was beating us to the ball. We weren't clearing the area around our net and we were a little flat.

"In the second half we didn't give them any space. We won most of the 50-50 balls and capitalized on our best chances."

Andover keeper Pat Twomey played the entire game and made six saves.

GOLF

Andover High golfers Jason Edelstein and Colin Brennan weathered some horrible weather to finish fifth and ninth respectively in an 18-player field at the annual Merrimack Valley Conference Individual Championship Tournament hosted by the 6,345-yard, par-72 Trull Brook GC in Tewksbury.

With a mixture of rain, snow flurries, raw swirling winds and freezing cold making for less than ideal golf conditions, senior Capt. Edelstein fired a 42-42-84 and freshman No. 2 Brennan carded a 43-44-87.

Brennan was the lone freshman, and one of only two non-seniors, selected to compete.

Ryan Furey of Methuen was the medalist with a four-over 38-38-76, an otherworldly score considering the circumstances.

The field consisted of two golfers from each of the nine conference teams squaring off in the 18-hole medal play event.

The Andover High season, the first under new coach Ken Kwajewski, was successful as the Golden Warriors were 9-7 in league matches and placed eighth among 12 schools at the Division 1 North Sectional Tournament.

CROSS COUNTRY

Sophomore Christy Nigh was the only Andover High girls or boys runner to finish among the top 30 in the varsity division races at the annual Merrimack Valley Conference Championship Meet hosted by Chelmsford High.

Nigh placed 20th as she covered the Lions' 3.1 mile course in 21 minutes, 38 seconds.

She was less than a half-minute from breaking into the top 10 as the field, after the top five finishers, was tightly-bunched.

The AHS girls had 177 points for seventh place in a 10-team field.

The Andover boys had 197 points for eighth place in a nine-school field.

The AHS freshman girls won the team title in their division with 41 points.

Schedule

The annual State Coaches Invitational is this Saturday and the Eastern Mass. Class Meet is Saturday, Nov. 8.

Both will be held at Franklin Park in Boston and both have 9:30 a.m. start times.

Those who qualify at the Class Meet will advance to the season-ending All-State Meet scheduled Saturday, Nov. 15.

ANDOVER SCORING

FOOTBALL
(7 games)

	TD	PA	Pts.
Buddy Farnham	6	0	36
Geoff Stevens	6	0	36
Shaheen Ghandchi	5	0	30
Matt Hennessy	5	0	30
Joel Keefe	0	21	21
Ben Newman	2	0	12
Dennis Collins	1	0	6
Ryan Donahue	1	0	6
Mike Muccio	1	0	6

TD Passes: Geoff Stevens 4.
TD Receptions: Buddy Farnham 2, Dennis Collins 1, Ryan Donahue 1.

GIRLS SOCCER
(19 games)

	G	A	Pts.
Jackie Powers	20	8	28
Emily Pallotta	6	11	17
Erica Weeks	6	6	12
Jen Hagopian	5	4	9
Brittany Moriarty	3	3	6
Meredith Johnson	2	3	5
Allison Kerivan	0	5	5
Michelle Pirro	3	1	4
Christie Spang	1	3	4
Amanda Carlson	3	0	3
Lindsay Timko	1	2	3
Mallory Jaracz	0	2	2
Arianna Miliotis	0	2	2
Megan Finn	1	0	1
Maggie Lamond	0	1	1
Jeannie Lothrop	0	1	1
Maggie Murphy	0	1	1

Hat Tricks: Jackie Powers 1, Erica Weeks 1.
Shutouts: Micaela Smith 2; Smith & Arianna Miliotis 2.

BOYS SOCCER
(17 games)

	FG	FT	Pts.
Tim Bengston	13	14	27
Jarrett Mackin	11	6	17
Brian Thompson	8	3	11
Greg Spurr	2	6	8
Vasili Kostakis	4	2	6
Ash Edmonds	2	3	5
Ryan D'Angelo	2	2	4
Bobby Grant	1	2	3
Jason Sheldon	2	0	2
Greg Famiglietti	1	1	2
Greg Morissette	1	0	1
Alex Foley	0	1	1
Tyler Hopkins	0	1	1

Hat Tricks: Brian Thompson 1; Tim Bengston 1.
Shutouts: Pat Twomey 4; Mike Canepa 1; Twomey & Canepa 2.

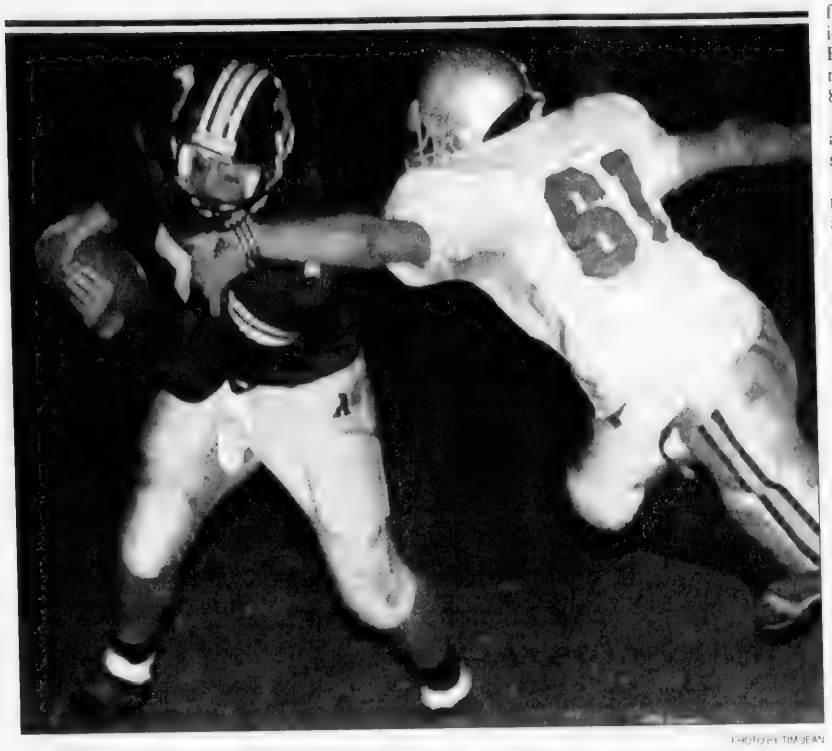

PHOTO BY TIM DEAN

Geoff Stevens (No. 7), Warrior quarterback, gives the slip to a visiting Dracut defender last Friday, Oct. 24.

Warriors beat Dracut, 21-13

■ **AHS FOOTBALL**

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bing a 14-0 lead in the opening quarter when Mike Muccio and Ryan Donahue both chalked up their first points of the season.

Muccio scored on a four yard run, his only carry of the night, and Donahue was on the receiving end of a seven-yard TD pass from QB Geoff Stevens (fourth of the year).

After Dillon threw the first of his two touchdown passes, a 21 yarder to Jon Llewellyn, Stevens knifed over from three yards out in the second period for his sixth TD.

Placekicker Joel Keefe followed each Andover touchdown by splitting the uprights with his 19th, 20th and 21st PAT boots.

Leading 21-7 with 93 seconds left in the half, Andover got the ball back hoping to score one more time before the break.

But Dracut's Derek Hunt picked off a Stevens' pass, setting up an 11-yard scoring toss from Dillon to Brad Carvoulias that brought the Middies (3-4 overall, 0-4 MVC) back in contention.

The Andover defense, which helped keep Dracut's first touchdown drive alive with two major penalties, stiffened in the second half.

The Golden Warriors produced a pair of interceptions, by Hennessy and Muccio, the crucial fumble recovery and four sacks (three by senior end Larry Masse) to keep the Middies off the board.

Hennessy and Ghandchi finished with seven tackles each, Farnham added six, junior John Fox five, Matt Wolfman four and Muccio four.

Andover has now beaten Dracut three straight times, five of the last six and holds a commanding 16-2-1 advantage in the last 19 games of the series.

Andover's balanced scoring is led by sophomore Buddy Farnham and Stevens with 36 points each.

Hennessy and Ghandchi have 30 points apiece, Keefe 21 and Ben Newman 12. Dennis Collins, Donahue and Muccio have six points each.

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Business

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ath Power makes Inc. 500 list

Inc. Magazine, a publication for small and medium-sized businesses, has released its 23rd annual Inc. 500 ranking of the fastest-growing private companies in the country. ath Power Consulting Corporation, of Andover, ranks No. 361 on the list, with five-year sales growth of 494 percent. The Inc. 500 special issue appeared on newsstands Oct. 14 and will be on display until January 2004.

The companies that made this list have thrived through continued stagnation in the economy, posting an average five-year sales growth of 1,312 percent. With aggregate revenue of $14.4 billion, Inc. 500 companies are a formidable market force. And while the United States shed 1.5 million jobs in 2002, Inc. 500 companies – half of which were launched with less than $20,000 – provided employment for 67,973 people.

"The entrepreneurs you'll find on the Inc. 500 have the type of attitude we need to get this economy moving again," said Inc. editor-in-chief John Koten, in a release. "For them, a tough market is not an excuse for poor performance, but an opportunity to innovate and rise above the competition."

The Inc. 500 ranks privately held companies according to sales growth over the past five years. "Over the years, the Inc. 500 has identified the next generation of world-class companies, with Microsoft, Stonyfield Farms, Timberland, Oracle, Princeton Review, Morningstar, E* Trade, Intuit and Domino's Pizza all appearing on the list before they became industry powerhouses," said the release from Inc.

Pathways Program director

Sara Efstathiou has been named new Pathway's Program Director at Marland Place, Independent and Assisted Living Community at 15 Stevens St.

Efstathiou has spent most of her young adult life working and volunteering in a long-term care setting.

Sara Efstathiou

She is originally from Lowell, and is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts Lowell nursing program. She has experience in acute care, long-term care and rehabilitation, and with Alzheimer's and related dementias. She is currently a Certified Alzheimer's Caregiver Trainer and volunteers as the co-chair for the Northern Middlesex Memory Walk held annually by the Alzheimer's Association.

"I found my niche in assisted living and I am anxious to expand and personalize our pathway's program," she said in a release. Marilyn Stasonis, executive director, added "We're very excited to have Sara join the Marland team; she brings new energy and enthusiasm to the Pathway's community."

Putnam: $50,000 in grants

Putnam Investments has awarded grants totaling $50,000 to two Andover-area human services organizations; Family Services, Inc. and Lawrence Community Works Inc.

The grants were made through the Putnam YouthPartners program, which focuses on career development and job-training programs for young people. Since 1993, the Putnam YouthPartners program has contributed more than $2.8 million to community organizations.

To engage employees, Putnam establishes committees to evaluate grant proposals. "The grants are generally awarded for three years, long enough to allow organizations to focus on programming without the immediate concern of future fundraising. The three-year focus also allows a dialogue between Putnam and the organizations to chart progress and reexamine goals," according to a release.

Family Service Inc. helps individuals and families – including those in Andover – build skills for successful home, work and community life. The agency is especially committed to reaching under-served and at-risk populations who face the stresses of poverty, family violence, aging and cultural isolation. This mission is carried out in three areas of service: Family Service's counseling center, Family Service's community prevention programs, and The Family Service Employee Assistance Program (EAP). Family Service will use Putnam's grant to implement the Kids and Careers program, matching eighth- and ninth-grade students from the Lawrence Public Schools with an adult career mentor.

Lawrence Community Works (LCW) is a community development corporation dedicated to the sustained revitalization of Lawrence.

Ultimate coffee experience available

Local owners open Ultimate Perk on Main Street

By Ben Hellman

Business is starting to percolate at Main Street's new coffee and doughnut shop, Ultimate Perk, at 96½ Main St.

Business owners and husband-and-wife team Rich and Toni Hadad said they've seen repeat business already. The store opened last Monday. "We see repeats, two to three times a day," said Rich Hadad. "We're pleased with the response to the service and the product."

The Hadads will have to compete with established competitors Starbucks and Dunkin' Donuts. (Though the decision is being appealed, the town has approved Dunkin' Donuts request to open across the street at 93 Main St., a space formerly occupied by Andover Video. Until this September, Dunkin' Donuts was at 96½ Main St.) Rich Hadad said he has the formula. "We have the Starbucks appearance with Dunkin' prices," he said. "I think our product is as good as any."

Ultimate Perk gets its doughnuts from Heavenly Donuts in Methuen; its coffee from New England Coffee, a micro-roaster in Portsmouth, N.H.; its muffins from the Ginger Bread Construction Company in Wakefield, and other baked goods from Methuen Baking. "We support local companies," said Rich Hadad.

The products and counters are positioned similarly enough to Dunkin' Donuts, the space's previous tenant, to give a sense of *deja vu* to anyone who patronized the former shop. On walking into Ultimate Perk, it is easy to notice that the store is set up exactly as the Dunkin' Donuts franchise that moved out just weeks ago. Dunkin' Donuts was not offered a new lease to remain at the site.

The Hadads said the store was already designed in the best way for workers and customers. They point to Bruegger's Bagel Bakery and Starbucks, which occupy long, narrow spaces and also set up their counter areas in the same way.

The decor of Ultimate Perk is certainly fresh. Ceramic tiled floors, stylish track-lighting, dark woodwork and marbled counters bring a warm feel to the store. The Hadads also have a hometown advantage. Rich and Toni Hadad grew up in Andover, a fact that is hard to miss as the Hadads greet customers by first name when people come into the store.

The shop's logo was designed by Toni Hadad, a graphic designer. She said the logo has people fooled into thinking the shop is a franchise. "We get that question a lot. People think we're from California," she said. Toni Hadad designed the new Memorial Hall Library logo and designed the Andover 350th anniversary insignia.

Ultimate Perk's store hours are Monday to Friday, 5 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday, 6 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Sunday, 6 a.m. to 3 p.m.

A customer walks out of the Ultimate Perk, on Monday.

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Toni and Rich Hadad, owners of the Ultimate Perk, which is now open on Main Street.

Andover teachers among tutors

Tutoring business centralizes downtown

By Judy Wakefield

Betty Singleton has been tutoring in town for the past five years and is very used to what she calls the S.O.S. telephone calls from parents. Parents can be frantic about getting their kids better organized so they can keep up with homework.

"Often, the parents call and say when it's time to do homework it turns into a fight," said Singleton, a town resident who has just moved her growing tutoring business downtown. "They know their kids can do better, but they just need some help."

That's where Singleton's business, Andover Tutoring Connection steps in. After being spread out in libraries and homes around town, the growing business needed a central location. Last month, it moved downtown to 21 Central St., which offers more room for its eight tutors. All of them have "education backgrounds and six of them are teachers," in local towns, including Wilmington and Andover, said Singleton.

She said Andover students would never be paired with one of their Andover teachers through her office.

The Andover Tutoring Connection offers 55-minute tutoring sessions and each tutor works one-on-one with kids. Singleton would not reveal prices, but said each tutor is a "qualified educator" and that's the appeal of her business.

"Because many are teachers, they are well-connected to Andover's curriculum," said Singleton, who is a part-time special education teacher at Wood Hill Middle School. She has been a special education teacher at elementary and middle schools in town for the past eight years.

"I began tutoring two students out of my home five years ago and felt the one-to-one tutoring sessions helped children tremendously," she said, noting that 35 kids are now enrolled at her business. "And, having first-hand knowledge of the curriculum taught in schools is a real plus.

"But, we just grew too big to work out of our homes and the libraries. Now, we have a spacious four-office suite," said Singleton, who has two daughters.

She said her staff offers parents a "link in helping children do better and ultimately feel better about school."

Tutoring sessions are offered after school, Monday through Thursday, from 2:30 to 8 p.m. and on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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Betty Singleton has started Andover Tutoring Connection, which employs teachers from Andover and other towns.

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TOWN TALK

A 'dicey' proposition

Andover High School hopes hosting a casino night will produce enough of a jackpot that the school can offer its after-school clubs again.

Money woes prompted the high school to fold after-school clubs this year, leaving kids and parents to come up with a big-money fundraiser. They think casino night fits the bill.

And speaking of bills, the play money that attendees will be throwing around is rumored to bear the smiling portrait of AHS Principal Peter Anderson.

Led by parent Lisa McDonald of Durham Drive, a well-connected fundraiser from her time as Andona Society president, the school has announced plans for a casino night and auction.

Set for Friday, Dec. 5 at Indian Ridge Country Club in Andover, the event is looking to reel in about $10,000, McDonald said. She leads a committee of about 30 high-school students who are thinking up unique auction items that involve many of them. Kids will offer their services at auction for babysitting, leaf-raking, snow shoveling, tutoring and the like.

"Behind the scenes, it's all kids," said McDonald, whose daughter is a sophomore. "They are banding together to bring the clubs back."

AHS students are also hitting up some of their well-known adult supporters to serve as blackjack dealers. So far, coach Dave Fazio, Youth Services Director Bill Fahey and town native Carmen Scarpa have agreed to deal the cards.

– Judy Wakefield

The skinny on the bones

Bones found by a custodian near West Elementary's schoolyard last week were determined to be from a cow or horse, said Andover Police Lt. Kevin Winters. Winters said the bones were examined by a doctor.

"It's not unusual," said Winters. "A lot of times it's an animal sort of thing."

Winters said a hunter may discard a bone or piece of an animal and other animals drag it somewhere else. Once, a deteriorated bear claw caused a stir when it was found in town, said Winters.

"It looked like a human hand," he said.

– Ben Hellman

Dance fever

Andover's Holly Balls just keep rolling.

The enormous popularity of these townwide dance events for dads and their daughters has the town offering three of them next month, and each one is already sold out. That's 300 dads and daughters who have spent $35 for a family ticket.

The annual party "sold out long before Columbus Day weekend," said Vern Loschi of the Department of Community Services.

Two Holly Balls were well advertised in the department's program booklet, which was mailed to residents in early September. When the waiting list grew to 100 more dads and daughters, DCS added a third Holly Ball. The balls are planned for Nov. 14, 20 and 21 at the Town House on Main Street, also known as Old Town Hall.

But, that's it. DCS said it will not add a fourth Holly Ball, even though the phone keeps ringing and parents continue to look for tickets.

– Judy Wakefield

Plucked to star in a duet

Andover High School Senior Danielle Giguere was chosen to perform with a Las Vegas celebrity impersonator show at the Collins Center for the Performing Arts on Thursday, Nov. 6. Giguere will sing *You Don't Bring Me Flowers Anymore* with a Neil Diamond impersonator.

Danielle Giguere

AHS students Bryanna Casey, Lisa DiTroia, Jill Newman and Mikaila Perkins will dance in the show.

All Star Promotions production company scouted the AHS talent show and held an audition in Tewksbury last Friday. Giguere was selected at the audition to sing in the Andover show and a later show at Lowell Memorial Auditorium.

Giguere spoke about being picked on Monday, just hours after hearing she had been selected.

"I'm looking forward to it," she said, adding she was both excited and nervous about the show. "I'm eager to try something new."

It's not completely new, though. Giguere has performed on stage in AHS musicals such as *Les Miserables* and recently in the Merrimack Junior Theatre production of *Secret Garden*.

The Nov. 6 show will also feature AHS dancers from the dance group Dance Infusion. Instructors Amanda Johnson and Nicole Rauseo are choreographing dance numbers in the production.

– Ben Hellman

'Damn Yankees' Zone

Despite the wishes of Andover state Rep. Barry Finegold (*Townsman*, Oct. 9 page 1) vendors continued selling Yankee apparel within one mile of Fenway Park during the American League Championship Series.

Finegold had suggested preventing those Yankee hats and shirts from being sold on Red Sox turf during the playoffs by offering a resolution on the House floor.

He said his original resolution needed to be toned down because of concerns it infringed upon First Amendment rights, but vendors were still asked to refrain from selling Yankee merchandise. Finegold said the House does not need to vote on resolutions. "It was all in good fun," said

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ON THE SCENE

The social event with the longest-running history in town

Firemen's Ball celebrates its 132nd year

In November 1963 Andover's then Fire Chief Bill Downs wanted the country's president from Massachusetts – John F. Kennedy – to attend his department's annual firemen's ball. So, he sent an invitation to Washington, D.C.

ON THE SCENE

Judy Wakefield

"I got a nice note from a secretary saying he couldn't come because he was going to Dallas," Downs recalled at last Friday's Firemen's Ball, adding, "...still have it somewhere."

It is a chilling memory, but Downs stressed it also shows how steeped in history the ball is. That year, 1963, is the only time in the event's 132-year history that the Andover Firemen's Ball was canceled. The ball was canceled as a tribute to President Kennedy, who was assassinated during his fateful trip to Dallas.

The ball has gone on every year since then, raising money for the group's Relief Association, which gives money to deceased members' families.

This year's ball was held at the Wyndham Andover with about 120 people attending.

Attendees included several firefighters, their spouses and other family members, along with supporters from around town. Each paid $35 for a ticket.

Stephanie Dalton attended with her brother, Mike Dalton. Their brother, Bob Dalton, is an Andover fireman. They talked about how the family will always remember how their brother adopted a Dr. Dalton role this year. Bob Dalton helped deliver three babies in just one month earlier this year while on duty.

He and fire-fighting colleague Kyle Murphy agreed that helping with those deliveries is their "15 minutes of fame" on the job.

Nearby, Andover's only selectman/disc jockey, Ted Teichert, handled the tunes for the evening as he also has a fireman brother, Eric Teichert.

Mary Cuticchia of Andover worked the raffle sales at the event, selling tickets that attendees purchased and then dropped in baskets for several auction items. Her husband is Fire Lt. James Cuticchia.

Those items included gift certificates from many local businesses and photographs of sports stars.

"It's just a great event for the cause," said Fire Chief Charles Murnane. "It's a great night for all the guys and it's good to see the support from around town."

Fire Lt. Scott Gibson of Andover has been the key organizer for the ball for the past few years. But he stressed to the crowd that he gets lots of help running the event from his wife, Jo-Anne Gibson.

Gibson named two people when he welcomed the crowd just as dinner was served. The late Rita Guillmette, wife of Lt. Armand Guillmette, was remembered. So was PFC Evan O'Neill, 19, an Army paratrooper who was killed in Afghanistan last month. Evan O'Neill was the son of Andover Fire Lt. Michael O'Neill and his wife, Barbara.

Gibson also recognized Sarah Pearson, the only teen there. The 14-year-old was just 3 months old when Andover firefighters rescued her from her family's burning home on Temple Place in 1989.

Firemen Ricky Dalton and Cliff Pattullo took Sarah from the arms of her mother, Lynda McNeil. Then, they helped McNeil out in a difficult ladder rescue.

"This is our 13th ball," said McNeil, who attended with her husband, Brad Pearson. "I attend because I want to thank them and also let them see Sarah grow up."

"They saved my life," Sarah added.

Gibson also reminded the crowd of McNeil's recent walk from Andover to New York City, which she made to show support for all firefighters.

The 53-year-old walked 300 miles this summer, despite her arthritis.

Though her husband, fireman Philip Boulanger, got the call to go to work, that didn't stop Janine Boulanger (standing, at left) from attending.

Mingling during the cocktail hour were, from left, Stephanie Dalton, Susie Phan and Stephanie's brother, Mike Dalton. The Daltons' brother, Bob Dalton, is an Andover fireman.

Checking out the raffle items are, from left, Susie Moody, Michele Kaplan and Jane Guy.

At left, Mary Cuticchia of Andover handles raffle ticket sales. Her husband is Fire Lt. James Cuticchia. At right, Fire Lt. Scott Gibson and his wife, Jo-Anne Gibson of Andover, are the couple-behind-the-scenes at the ball, serving as key organizers.

◀ Sarah Pearson, 14, was just 3 months old when Andover firefighters rescued her from a fire at her Andover home. She attends the ball every year as a way to say thanks, and is pictured with her parents, Lynda McNeil and Brad Pearson.

FIRST BIRTHDAYS

Sydney Anne Duncan

Sydney Anne Duncan turned 1 on Oct. 14. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Duncan of North Andover, she adores her family, including grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Richard Croft of Andover and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Duncan of Millerton, N.Y.; and great-grandparents Mrs. Lewis Glassner of Chicago, Ill. and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Duncan of Millerton, N.Y. Sydney loves music, "Elmo," swings at the playground and her birthday slide.

Ashtyn Danielle Walsh

Ashtyn Danielle Walsh celebrated her first birthday Oct. 22. She is the daughter of Kevin and Lesley (Brammer) Walsh of Annandale, Va. Grandparents are Robert and Linda Brammer of Keystone Way, and Charles and Mildred Walsh of Ashburn, Va. Ashtyn is full of smiles and loves playing with her 2-year old sister, Kerrigan.

Madeleine Nazarene Botti

Madeleine Nazarene Botti turned 1 on Oct. 15. Madeleine and her parents. Andrew and Lesa (Stramondo) Botti, live on Chestnut Street. Her paternal grandparents are Ernest and Rita Botti of Waltham and the late Anna (DiTrapani) Botti. Her maternal grandparents are Salvatore and Nazarene (Mondello) Stramondo of Lexington. Madeleine loves her playgroup, swimming and dogs.

Matthew Richard Rigazio

Matthew Richard Rigazio turned 1 on Oct. 1. He is the son of John and Maureen Rigazio of Red Spring Road. Grandparents are Dick and Mary Rigazio of Arlington, and Charlie and Gusti Buhrman of Fremont, N.H. Matthew favorite activities are climbing things, chasing his sister, Kate, 5, and brother, Jack, 3, and keeping his parents on their toes.

Collin Michael Tiberii

Collin Michael Tiberii celebrated his first birthday Oct. 29. He is the son of Mike and Bea Tiberii of Boxford. Grandparents are Tony and Kathy Tiberii of Andover, and Sam and Bea Ameen of North Andover. Collin loves to chase his beagle, Bogey, as well as climb stairs and turn the lights on and off, over and over again. "Collin, you make us all so happy... we are so lucky to have you."

Zachary Charles Ratté

Zachary Charles Ratté celebrated his first birthday Oct. 17. He is the son of Mark and Julie Ratté of Woodland Road. Grandparents are Charles and Susan Papalia of North Andover and Richard and Danielle Ratté of Atkinson, N.H. Great-grandmother is Mary Stella of Arlington. Zachary recently moved from Newburyport and "loves it here."

Ashley Shaw Veneto

Ashley Shaw Veneto celebrated her first birthday Oct. 14. She is the daughter of Michael and Alyson Veneto of Cedar Road. Grandparents are Walter and Ann Power of Newburyport, A. Joseph and Janet Veneto of Hingham, and Theodore Baker Jr. of Marblehead.

Nathaniel Bennett Pliskaner

Nathaniel Bennett Pliskaner turned 1 on Oct. 24. He is the son of Mike and Heidi Pliskaner of Andover. Grandparents are Ronald and Donna Schroth of Somerville. Nathaniel loves playing the drums and playing with his trucks. He also loves to eat everything. He adores his big brothers, Jacob and Matthew.

Connor Taffe Lang

Connor Taffe Lang turned 1 on Oct. 16. He is the son of Corbin and Nancy Lang of Andover. Grandparents are Joe and Ruth Trepanier of Bedford, N.H., formerly of Andover, and Gary and Sue Lang of Yakima, Wash. Connor loves playing ball and laughing at the antics of his older brother, Brady.

Kaitlin Margaret MacDonald

Kaitlin Margaret MacDonald turned 1 on Oct. 2. Her parents are Jennifer and Chip MacDonald of Andover. Grandparents are Margaret and Joseph Panas of Malvern, Pa. and Frank and Nina MacDonald of Hampton, N.H. Kaitlin has a big brother, Daniel. "We love you, Katie."

Eric David Cooper

Eric David Cooper turned 1 on Oct. 10. He is the son of Laura and Dwight Cooper of Mortimer Drive. Grandparents are Diana and Gordon Cooper of Simsbury, Conn. and the late Barbara and David Fineberg of Avon, Conn.

Ryan James Winship

Ryan James Winship celebrated his first birthday Oct. 6. His parents are Will and Karen Winship of Andover. Ryan loves to go to the park, play with his tool set, and groove to the Wiggles. Most of all Ryan loves to "hang out" with his big brother, Willy, 3.

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FOR SENIORS

By Pat Becker
Andover Senior Center

Here are some of the activities coming up at the Andover Senior Center.

Supper Club: Our next supper club will find us visiting the Cedar Crest restaurant Wednesday, Nov. 12 at 5 p.m. Menu choices will be veal parm, broiled halibut or roast stuffed chicken. Everyone is welcome to join in this evening out. Stop into the center if you would like to make a reservation.

Choral Group: Our popular choral group, The Sunrise Singers, under the direction of Linda Kirk, are welcoming new voices to join them. (*Story, page 19.*) They rehearse every Monday morning at 9 at the senior center. Just come on down and introduce yourself. If you enjoy music, you'll have a great time in this group.

Massage Therapy: The senior center is fortunate to have the services of a licensed massage therapist onsite on Monday mornings. Seated upper body chair massages (a great stress reducer) are available at the reduced cost of $12 for a 20-minute treatment. Call the center if you would like to make an appointment.

Friday Forum: On Friday, Nov. 7, the senior center will host a forum on "What Is Normal Aging and What Is Not." The presenter will be Susan Kelley-Grasso, advocacy outreach coordinator for the Mass. Alzheimer's Association. The forum will get underway at 9:30 a.m. and a continental breakfast will be served. Join us for this informative session; pre-registration would be appreciated.

Halloween Happenings: We invite you to join us tomorrow, Friday, Oct. 31 when we celebrate Halloween with a country and western flair. We start off at noontime with a ham and bean dinner complete with pumpkin pie followed by a Halloween party with more food, fun, dancing and music. Country/western costumes are encouraged. Lunch reservations may be made in the regular manner, and tickets for the party are available at the front desk for $3.

Dr. Stanford Auerbach: Dr. Stanford Auerbach, associate professor of neurology and psychiatry at Boston University School of Medicine, will deliver a talk entitled, "Current Research on Memory Loss" at the senior center Monday evening, Nov. 3 at 7. Auerbach currently serves on the board for the National Alzheimer's Association. He has also been involved in numerous research studies including the Framingham Dementia Study. Tickets for this event are $3 and may be purchased at the senior center or at Marland Place.

Flu Shots: The Andover Board of Health will hold a annual flu shot clinic at the Andover High School field house on Nov. 13 from 3:30 to 6 p.m.

Fix-it Shop: Our fix-it volunteers will be on hand again on Monday, Nov. 3 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. to take a look at any small appliance or household item that might be in need of repair.

Movie Matinee: On Monday, Nov. 3 at 1 p.m. we will show the musical, *Chicago*. Winner of six Academy Awards including Best Picture, this musical sensation stars Renee Zellweger, Catherine Zeta-Jones and Richard Gere.

Parkinson's Support Group: A representative from Elder Services of the Merrimack Valley will be present to provide an overview of services currently available in the greater Andover community. For further information, contact Kristine Raceland at the senior center.

Brown Bag Lecture: Our next brown bag lecture will take place Wednesday, Nov. 19 at noon when the popular and accomplished Betsy Williams appears in her alter ego, Mrs. Thrift. Come and learn her magical tools for transforming refrigerator chaos into culinary delights with herbs and flowers from her garden, garlic and onions from her pantry and vinegar and sugar from her cupboard. Williams will also have copies of her new cookbook with her. Advance reservations ($2) are necessary. Bring a bag lunch if you wish... we'll supply coffee and dessert.

Pre-Holiday Concert: The Doherty Middle School Orchestra will perform a free concert for seniors in the Memorial Auditorium at Doherty Middle School on Tuesday, Nov. 18 at 1 p.m. You'll be amazed at the wonderful talent in this more than 50-piece string group. There will be several violin soloists and the performance will conclude with the traditional "Hymn of Thanksgiving." Complimentary tickets are available at the senior center front desk.

Men's Breakfast: All interested senior men are invited to join us Friday, Nov. 21 at 8:30 a.m. when we will offer a program by Bill Patton Jr. entitled, "Come Josephine" a show featuring old-time cars, trucks, planes and automobiles. Cost is $3 and space may be reserved by calling the senior center.

Thanksgiving Dinner: The senior center will host its annual Thanksgiving dinner for Andover seniors Sunday, Nov. 23 at noon. A traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings will be served. Cost is $6.50 and tickets are available at the center until Nov. 17.

SOCIAL NOTEBOOK

The Friends of Memorial Hall Library are sponsoring several free cultural events at the library in November.

"Whet Your Appetite with Food, Humor and History – a presentation of various kitchen utensils and other such paraphernalia" will be held Wednesday evening, Nov. 5, at 7.

Organizers said, "Discover the fun of history with this evening of laughter and learning. This is a program of food and dining trivia with lots of old gadgets from your parents' and grandparents' past. Learn the origins of many of today's products. Everyone is welcome to this free program and encouraged to bring their own kitchen gadget to see if they can stump the master himself."

Lou Greenstein

That master is New England gourmand Lou Greenstein, who has experienced the gamut of the culinary world. His 30-year career in the food service industry started in the test kitchen and classrooms at the University of Massachusetts, where he earned a degree in restaurant management.

Greenstein has also been an area director for a national catering company and has managed hotels, country clubs and restaurants.

The second event is the Organic Gourmet Natural Foods Cooking Class – a health-supportive approach to cooking the whole foods way.

Join **Heather Campbell** as she demystifies healthy cooking with this free program Wednesday, Nov. 12, at noon.

Campbell, the Organic Gourmet, will teach attendees how to prepare nourishing, simple meals, easily and quickly. She will experiment with new whole grains, luscious fruits and vegetables, beans, nuts and seeds, and many new and different sources of protein.

Foods that are presented in this class are easy to prepare, traditional in nature, and are always organic.

Campbell is a graduate of the National Gourmet Culinary School and Institute for Food and Health.

The Salon (formerly the Hair Factory Salon) at 160 Winthrop Ave., Stadium Plaza, Lawrence, is donating all proceeds of its upcoming cut-a-thon to benefit **Quota International of Andover**.

On Sunday, Nov. 2 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., **Tom** and **Sheriley Farrand**, owners of the newly renovated salon, report that their staff will be available with the most advanced hairstyling available in the local area.

Also available on that day will be tanning, and Paul Mitchell hair products will be available for sale.

Kate MacLeod, of **Massage at Sofia Chiropractic**, also will have her chair available to give massages that day.

Quota International of Andover is a non-profit organization whose focus is to financially assist victims of domestic abuse and champion the education of hearing-impaired children in the Merrimack Valley.

PHOTO COURTESY OF ANDOVER GARDEN CLUB

The Andover Bicentennial Garden has received new granite curbing from the Andover Garden Club. Pictured giving money for this project to Jack Petkus, the town's director of public works, are the club's new officers: (from left) Joyce Bakshi, vice president; JoAnne Lilly and Virginia Lopez Begg, Bicentennial committee members; Petkus; Jackie Katz, president; Judy Astbury, treasurer; and Jane Barlow, recording secretary. Not in the photo is Carole Prentiss, corresponding secretary.

Providing curb appeal

Andover Garden Club sprucing up town's Bicentennial Garden with donation

THE FIRST SNOW OF THE YEAR ON Oct. 23 didn't keep the Andover Garden Club from celebrating one of the final stages in the renovation of the Andover Bicentennial Garden, located at the intersection of Central and School streets.

Known as the "cradle of modern Andover," this triangle of land across from South Church was designed and has been maintained by the Andover Garden Club since 1976.

Since 1997, Virginia Lopez Begg, a professional landscape designer and chairperson of the club's Bicentennial Committee, has initiated renovations to make the park more accessible and attractive. Recently the Andover Bicentennial Garden has received new granite curbing from the Andover Garden Club.

Working for town beautification is one of the many ways in which members of the Andover Garden Club express their interest in gardening.

Continuing its commitment to serving the town of Andover, the Andover Garden Club is offering a program next Tuesday, Nov. 4, featuring representatives from AVIS, the Andover Preservation Commission, the Andover Conservation Commission, the Andover Planning Board, the Water Department and the Andover Historical Society.

Plans for the conservation and the preservation of the natural and historic resources that are vital to the town environment will be the subject of discussion.

The Andover Garden Club encourages both members and non-members who want to keep current on these local issues to attend this meeting, which will be held at the Fellowship Hall of West Parish Church (Lowell Street/Route 133 and Reservation Road) at 10 a.m.; the cost for non-members is $5.

TOWN TALK

■ NO YANKEE ZONE
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According to Finegold, the House spent about 20 minutes on the matter and did not put a lot of research into it.

But being the fan he is, Finegold said he even approached a vendor after the last Boston game to ask how he felt about selling merchandise to opposing fans.

Finegold said he was told the money from Yankee fans was just as good as the money from Red Sox fans.

Who would have guessed the Yankee logo was protected under the constitution, joked Finegold.

– Andrea Gregory

FAX IT: 978-470-2819

THANKSGIVING NOVENA to SAINT JUDE

O Holy St Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need, to you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present and urgent petition. In return, I promise to make your name known, and cause you to be invoked.

Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Marys and Glorias

Publication must be promised. *St Jude pray for us and all who invoke your aid. Amen*

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OBITUARIES

Winifred P. Radigan

Was office manager at Prudential Insurance Co.

Winifred P. Radigan, 91, of Andover, died Friday, Oct. 24 at home.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y. she lived in Austin, Texas for 45 years before moving to Andover in 1992.

She worked at the Prudential Insurance Co. for more than 40 years, beginning as an office clerk and advancing to become an office manager.

Later, she established and implemented a nationwide training and support program for the company's office manager.

Members of her family include a sister, Sister Helen M Radigan, O.P. of Amityville, N.Y. and other family members, Donald and Victoria Robb and Michael, Kathryn, Maura, Patrick, and Erin Currie, all of Andover and with whom she lived, Christopher [illegible] Michele Robb of Florida, Carol Robb of Methuen, Thomas, Abigail, Jack, and Sam Dougan of Haverhill, Mary Robb of Andover, Patrick and Teresa Robb and Alicia Powers of Lawrence; Adam, Kim, and Will Robb and Michelle Blackey of Haverhill; and 10 nieces and nephews.

A memorial Mass will be said at St. Michael's Church, North Andover on Saturday, Nov. 8 at 10 a.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to Merrimack Valley Hospice or The Camp Lawrence Tinker Fund of the Merrimack Valley YMCA.

Yvonne F. Dumont

Was a member of St. Augustine Church

Yvonne F. (Paquette) Dumont, 96, of Andover, died Sunday, Oct. 26 at the Mary Immaculate Nursing Restorative Center in Lawrence.

She was born in Lowell.

Mrs. Dumont was a member of St. Augustine Church.

She was the widow of George H. Dumont.

Members of her family include daughters, Joan Webb and her husband William of Jerome, Idaho, Clair Derosier and her husband Alfred of Camden, Maine, Elaine DeSalvo and her husband Sam of Oguinquit, Maine, Mary Hilsman of Sarasota, Fla., and Anne Fortuna and her husband Raymond of Kennebunk, Maine; sons, Paul Dumont of Houlton, Maine, John Dumont of Andover, and George Dumont Jr. and his wife Lupe of Twin Falls, Idaho; 16 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Mary Immaculate Nursing Restorative Center, 172 Lawrence St., Lawrence, MA 01841.

There were no calling hours. Cremation was at Linwood Crematory.

Arrangements were by the Burke Funeral Home, 390 N. Main St., Andover.

OBITUARIES

The *Townsman* will publish obituaries of Andover residents without charge.

The paper also will publish without charge a short announcement of those people who died and did not live here, but are related to someone who lives in Andover. This listing will include the name of the deceased, where he or she lived, when he or she died, and names of relatives in Andover.

Those who wish to have a complete obituary published about a person who did not live in Andover can pay for a death notice. The cost of a death notice depends on the length of the notice.

Questions? Call Jack Grady or Neil Fater at 978-475-7000.

DEATHS

Rose M. Decubellis, 77
Yvonne F. Dumont, 96
Margaret M. Ferris, 66
Cecile Galarneau, 82
Mary L. Mesquita, 84
Winifred P. Radigan, 91
Ann-Marie Simonelli, 37

DEATHS ELSEWHERE

DECUBELLIS – Rose M. (Fragala) Decubellis, 77, of Methuen, died Saturday, Oct 25 at the Mariner Health Care Center in Methuen. Members of her family include her daughter, Julie Ahles, and her husband, Roland, of Andover.

FERRIS – Margaret M. "Meg" (Andreoli) Ferris, 66, of Methuen, died Thursday, Oct. 23 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston. Mrs. Ferris worked at Raytheon in Andover as a security administrator for more than 20 years until her retirement in 1994.

GALARNEAU – Cecile (Fecteau) Galarneau, 82, of Lawrence, died Friday, Oct. 24 at M.I. Nursing & Restorative Center. Mrs. Galarneau graduated from the Greater Lawrence Technical School in Andover in 1960.

MESQUITA – Mary L. Mesquita, 84, of Methuen, died Wednesday, Oct. 22 at Nevins Rehabilitation Center. Members of her family include her son, David R. Mesquita and his wife, Pamela, of Andover.

SIMONELLI – Ann-Marie Simonelli, 37, of Lawrence, died Thursday, Oct. 23 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston. She was an account representative at Gem Corp. in Andover for five years.

OBITUARIES ARE SUPPLIED BY FUNERAL HOMES AND FAMILY MEMBERS

SUPPORT GROUPS

Bereavement – Heart of Grief Education, through Nov. 12, the Merrimack Valley Hospital [illegible] Farrell & Sons [illegible] Bereavement and Resource Center of Haverhill, offer an eight-session bereavement program called The Heart of Grief [illegible] on the first and third Wednesdays of the month in the hospital [illegible] participation is free but preregistration is requested; call Nancy [illegible] 978-374-[illegible] for more information.

Bereavement – Perinatal loss support group, for parents who have lost a child through [illegible] stillbirth, or newborn [illegible] Thursday of each month, [illegible] first floor [illegible] Saint Joseph's Hospital, Newburyport [illegible]

Bereavement – Renew, bereavement support group of the Visiting Nurse Association and Hospice of Greater Lowell [illegible] Tuesday [illegible] and Lowell General Hospital [illegible] Ave., Lowell; Marie [illegible] 459-[illegible]

Bereavement – Safe Place, for those who have lost a loved one to suicide, meets second and fourth Tuesday of each month, 7-9 p.m., The Samaritans, [illegible] Methuen; 978-688-6607.

Bereavement – Samaritans, information night, 1st Wednesday of each month, those who have lost a family member or friend to suicide meet [illegible] Tuesday of each month, [illegible] p.m., Samaritan Center, [illegible] St. Methuen; 978-688-[illegible]

Bereavement – Grief Support for Men, Merrimack Valley Hospice and St. Michael's Parish offer [illegible] Support Group: Grief [illegible] Men's Journey, starting Oct. [illegible] St. Michael's Parish Hall, 196 Main St., North Andover; [illegible]

Bereavement – Beginning the Grief Journey, Merrimack Valley Hospice, [illegible] Oct. [illegible] weeks, [illegible] p.m., St. Michael's Parish Hall, 196 Main St., North Andover; Nancy Kidd 978-552-[illegible]

Bereavement – Surviving the Death of a Loved One, [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] St. Basil's [illegible] Center [illegible] St., Methuen [illegible] Merrimack Valley Hospice [illegible]

Bereavement – Visiting Nurse Hospice [illegible] bereavement support group for adults coping with the loss of a loved one, Wednesdays, [illegible] p.m., VNA of Middlesex-East & Visiting Nurse Hospice, Lakeside Office Park, 607 North Ave., second floor, door 17, Wakefield; Kathleen Sawyer, LICSW 718-224-3399.

Bereavement – Widowed Persons Service, an all-volunteers organization cosponsored by American Association of Retired Persons, seeking men and women of all ages who have been widowed for at least 18 months, for its training program, Lori Maguire 978-475-5556.

Bereavement – Young Widows and Widowers weekly bereavement support, non-sectarian mutual help organization during bereavement and readjustment period, Wednesdays, 7-9 p.m., A "moving-on" group for persons widowed longer, second and fourth Tuesdays, 7-9 p.m., Marland Place, 15 Stevens St.; Francyne Fuller 978-475-8186.

Bereavement – Adults, Mid-Years Widow and Widowers, Children, VNA of Middlesex-East offers bereavement support groups for adults Wednesdays 5-6:30 p.m.; mid-year widows and widowers (ages 59-70) Wednesdays 7-8:30 p.m.; children and parent/guardian Tuesdays 5:30-7 p.m., all groups meet for six weeks, VNA of Middlesex-East & Visiting Nurse Hospice, Lakeside Office Park, Wakefield, 607 North Avenue, second floor, door 17; Pat Kumph 781-2234-3399.

Breast cancer support group, meets second Monday of the month, 7-8:30 p.m., Meeting Room, Christ Church, 25 Central St.; 978-475-5094.

Caregivers support group, sponsored by Elder Services of the Merrimack Valley, first and third Tuesday of each month, 10-11 a.m., 360 Merrimack Street, Building 5, Lawrence; Chris Costello 978-683-7747, Ext. 423.

Caregivers support group, meets second and fourth Wednesday of the month, 7-8:30 p.m., Merrimack Valley Hospital, in the hospital atrium; 1-800-892-0890.

Cancer support group, for people who have cancer and their loved ones, offered by Winchester Hospital Oncology Services, 88 Montvale Ave., Stoneham; 781-756-4760.

Healing Mass at St. Augustine Church

St. Augustine Church, 43 Essex St., will host Father Albert MacPherson, OSA, who will celebrate a Healing Mass next Tuesday, Nov. 4, at 7 p.m.

Father MacPherson began full-time healing ministry in 1983 after 14 years of experience in spiritual renewal work, including 10 years of pastoral experience in parishes in Ontario, New York, and Florida.

Father Albert MacPherson, OSA

Born in Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, Canada, in 1944 into a family of 15 children, he joined the order of Saint Augustine in 1962 and was ordained to priesthood in 1974. He did undergraduate studies at Saint Francis Xavier University, Nova Scotia, and Villanova University, Pennsylvania. He did graduate theological studies at the Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C. He is also a member of the Association of Christian Therapists.

For over 25 years, the Rev. MacPherson has ministered in the United States, Canada, South America, Europe, Asia, and the Caribbean Islands. Thousands have been helped through his healing ministry – spiritually, psychologically, and physically, according to organizers of the event.

All are welcome. Refreshments will follow.

ALL THOSE YEARS AGO

100 Years Ago – 1903

The Andover Association football club held a very enjoyable concert and dance last Friday evening. A number of songs were rendered by friends of the club, after which dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

The interior of Valpey Brothers market is receiving some attention in the way of painting and carpentering. A new floor has been laid in the office and the interior of the store is being painted by D. Donovan & Son.

A prize dance will be conducted in the G.A.R. Hall, Saturday evening, Oct. 31, under the auspices of the G.A.R. associates. A prize will be given to the best dancers. The American Orchestra will furnish music.

Frank E. Gleason has still a small quantity of No. 2 nut coal which he will sell for $6.50 a ton while it lasts. He also has some charcoal at 25 cents a bushel.

Posts have been erected at the corners of the various streets in town on which the names of the streets will be displayed. This is in accordance with the action taken at the last town meeting.

A false alarm last Sunday night called the department to box 46 at the corner of Main and Morton streets. This box has been pulled in a number of times within the past two years and the pulling of false alarms is now about what could be termed "a stale chestnut."

75 Years Ago – 1928

A festive costume party was held by the members of the Clan Auxiliary in Fraternal Hall on Thursday evening. The hall was decorated with streamers of orange and black and the lights were shaded with ghostly masks.

The first social event of the newly transformed Business and Professional Women's Club, a Halloween party held on Monday evening, was a conspicuous success.

Lawrence V. Roth was a speaker at the annual meeting of the Andover Historical Society held Monday in Punchard Hall.

The Red Cross Roll Call begins Nov. 11. Everyone join. Keep our chapter at the top.

Mrs. Frances Walters and Miss Elizabeth Sjostrom were among those from Andover who attended the Harvard–Indiana game at Cambridge last Saturday.

Miss Miriam Sweeny is at her home with tonsillitis.

George Carmichael of the Andover Steam laundry met with a painful injury to his eye while at work.

Early risers on Thursday morning were rewarded by the very unusual sight of a beautiful rainbow spanning the heavens in the west at about half past six.

To continue or not continue the Sunday evening service was the question of absorbing interest at the business meeting following the annual roll call supper held in the vestry of the Baptist Church on Wednesday evening.

Charles Bowman, aged 65 years, and for 15 years a member of the board of selectmen, died at his home at 66 Park St. on Sunday morning, after a long illness.

50 Years Ago – 1953

Approval of the final detail plan for the treatment plant for the Ballardvale sewerage system has been received from the state board of public health.

All the town's spooks and goblins who roam the street next Saturday evening will find four simultaneous community Halloween parties prepared for their entertainment.

Rain over the weekend put an end to the extended dry spell just at a time when the water in Haggett's Pond reached an all-time low level of 73¼ inches below full pond.

Frederick A. Barrett, 77 Memorial Circle, was appointed at Monday night's meeting of the selectmen to fill the vacancy on the rent control board caused by the resignation of Arthur Beer Jr.

The Wee Nip division of the School's sailing club with a total point score of 134¼ was the winner of the four-meet interscholastic racing series concluded last Saturday at Wakefield.

A gathering of more than 400 people from Andover and neighboring communities honored Police Chief David C. Nicoll at a testimonial dinner at Andover Country Club Monday night.

25 Years Ago – 1978

Andover voters will go to the polls Tuesday to participate in selection of state, federal and county leaders in what some pollsters indicate is a close race for the top offices.

One of the country's oldest firms will soon occupy one of Andover's newest industrial buildings. King Arthur Flour, the most popular and recognizable product of the Sands, Taylor, Wood Co. plant, will take over the former Allied Chemical Co. plant, off Dascomb Road.

Revaluation – an item rejected by three Andover town meetings – had reared its ugly head again, this time through a threat from the state department of revenue to assess the town for the cost of their conducting the revaluation program.

George Itz was the first Andover finisher in the annual 5.1-mile road race conducted by the Department of Community Services last Sunday.

There will be no further attempt to place a retirement community on the Abbot campus by Phillips Academy.

Selectmen this week informed postal officials they are still interested in improved service and will continue to monitor delivery and work with the postal service.

Andover selectmen issued a statement this week opposing the classification amendment – Question 1 on Tuesday's state election ballot.

Letter to the Editor: Your readers may not be aware that Question 7 on the ballot for Nov. 7 is nothing more or less than a ploy for tax relief for affluent, private country clubs.

First place in the Merrimack Valley Conference will be on the line here Saturday, as the Andover High Warriors play host to top-rated Chelmsford.

When it was over, Andover Coach David Amundsen called it the best game of the year for the tough-luck Warrior soccer team.

10 Years Ago – 1993

How to spend $819,559 in state aid, two requests for money for school additions and a proposal to abolish bus fees headline the seven article warrant for the Special Town Meeting this Monday night, Nov. 8.

Many Massachusetts school systems are fostering efforts towards greater inclusion and during the past several years they have reduced the amount of ability grouping used in schools.

With voters across the state waiting for election returns to pour in Tuesday night, approximately 85 Andover residents figuratively cast their ballots concerning the many issues of inclusion at the Nov. 2 forum on inclusion and mainstreaming.

The first thing a visitor from Andover notices when pulling into the Peabody Community Life Center, the city's senior center, is its 165-space parking lot.

Bob McQuade, Andover's public works director and its representative to the Greater Lawrence Sanitary District, asked selectmen recently to deny North Andover support in its bid to pass a piece of legislation that would give that town more control over the Greater Lawrence Sanitary district.

From a guest column: A student at UMass Amherst recently sounded the alarm that this official mascot of the school's sports programs [the Minuteman] is the white male killer type.

Letter to the Editor: Andover used to have pride in its public schools. A generation ago mediocrity was not good enough. Innovative programs were implemented along with town-wide support that allowed new schools to be built.

Amy Duarte, the 12-year-old Andover who had a bone marrow transplant last week to help her fight leukemia, is doing better than expected at this stage.

State Sen. John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, will hold evening office hours in Andover at Memorial Hall Library, Elm Square, on Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

– Compiled by Townsman interns Kyle McCauley and Kyra Auffermann

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Education

CLUB LIFE

Going to bat to save AHS clubs

By Meir Rinde

JOSEPH RUSCKOWSKI LOVES THE HIGH SCHOOL'S Philosophy Club, and he finds the idea that it might disappear positively disheartening.

"The club's really different than anything I've ever really experienced in life," said Rusckowski, a 16-year-old junior. "It's very laid back. You just kind of express your thoughts. It's fun. The type of learning there is very different from anything else the school offers."

Budget cuts have threatened to cancel almost all after-school club activities at the high school, ranging from student government to the Debate Club to the newspaper. At the start of the school year, Principal Peter Anderson asked students to help raise $47,000 to cover stipends for teachers who supervise the clubs, as well as the cost of field trips and other expenses.

Anderson himself raised $24,000 from businesses and private donations, and a group of students and parents has pledged to bring in the remaining $23,000 through an auction and casino night fund-raiser Dec. 5 (*See TOWN TALK, page 19*).

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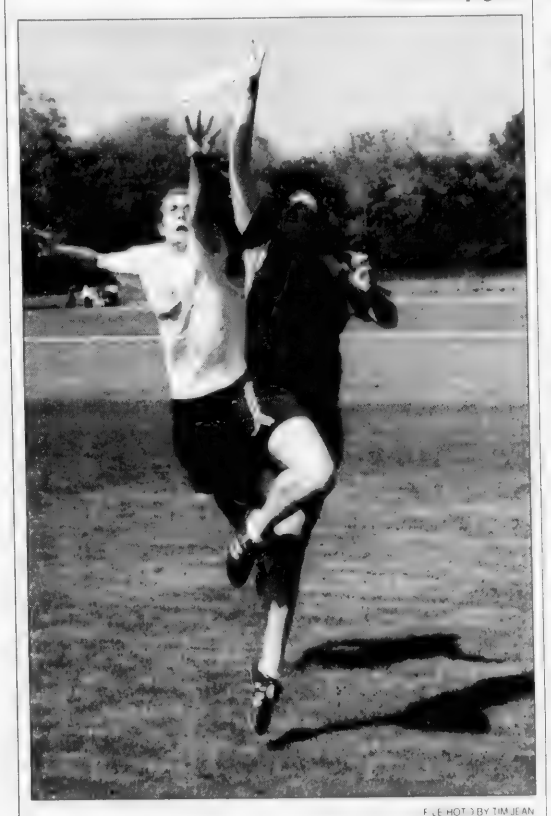

FILE PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Greg Booth and Alison Shannon, battle for the disc in a game of Ultimate Frisbee, a club at Andover High. With no money in the budget for club advisers, students are taking matters into their own hands.

PHOTOS COURTESY OF CAMP KIEVE

Ropes course as metaphor – Students visiting Camp Kieve in Nobleboro, Maine learn to leap from the top of a telephone pole to a trapeze bar, and move among the treetops, with the help of their classmates.

'Leap of faith'

Camp teaches support and good decisions – 50 feet off the ground

By Ben Hellman

MOST PEOPLE ARE FAMILIAR with the trust exercise where people let themselves fall backward into the arms of friends or co-workers.

Wood Hill Middle School seventh-graders will learn that lesson and then some next week at a Maine boarding school where they will rappel from trees, walk on a balance beam 35 feet off the ground, and leap from the top of a telephone pole to a trapeze bar – all with the help of their classmates.

It's not all about circus tricks, said Bob Grant, director for the Leadership Decision Institute (LDI) at Camp Kieve in Nobleboro, Maine.

"The ropes course is a metaphor," he said. Every kid will be harnessed to four friends on the ground who will stabilize and hold them safely in the air. "It's peer support instead of peer pressure," said Grant. "It's a leap of faith."

LDI is considered a "non-traditional, limited-purpose school" in Maine, said Grant. Days are structured with five classes per day and after-class time for students to reflect on what they've learned and for social activities. There are classes on relationships and communication, dealing with bullies or threats and making positive decisions when offered choices such as alcohol and other drugs.

Grant said many of the classes are held outdoors and are active. One activity he mentioned was having students cross an imaginary river without breaking a human chain. During their time after class, students have built small egg-carrying vehicles and crash-tested them and spent time on the school's climbing wall, for instance.

Patrick Bucco, Wood Hill Middle School assistant principal, spearheaded the effort to promote the trip. Bucco experienced the program while working in the Newburyport school system.

"It's a fantastic program," he said. "Adolescence is a tough time. The idea is to give them the tools the right way, because (kids) don't always make the right choice," he said. "The goal is to develop adolescents into leaders."

Regarding the program's relationship class, Bucco said seventh-graders are dating or thinking about dating and it is important to teach them to make healthy decisions. He said it is important for students to be able recognize healthy friendships as well. "Friends at this age – it's tough (for kids) to figure out who their friends are," he said.

Grant said it is important to work with adolescents before they get to high school and are less willing to accept guidance. "This is an age (when) kids are open, they're honest about what's going on," he said.

Grant said approximately 10,000 students go through the LDI program each

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New school already over capacity

■ A NUMBER OF THEORIES

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Znamierowski were also involved in the process. The redistricting committee endorsed a plan to redistrict the elementary and middle schools and the School Committee voted to put that plan in place.

Those involved with the redistricting process offer different theories for why some schools are already overcapacity.

Grams: Three factors

Former Redistricting Task Force member Annette Grams said the committee's plan was to open High Plain Elementary with 507 students, or 89 percent of the building's 564 student capacity. Grams said there are three factors that drove High Plain's numbers to reach full capacity when it opened in September 2003, and to continue growing this year.

Grams said empty-nesters – older residents whose kids have moved out – leaving town is one reason for the housing turnover that brought kids to High Plain Elementary. Grams said when she was on the task force, realtors were interested in knowing which homes would send their kids to the new schools. "Realtors really started plugging (High Plain neighborhoods) after the new lines were drawn," said Grams.

Grams said the choice of Brenda O'Brien as principal of High Plain – also announced after the redistricting lines were chosen – discouraged parents from sending their kids to Shawsheen, the town's K-2 magnet school. Grams said that O'Brien is a popular principal and many good teachers traveled with her from Shawsheen to her new school.

"How does Shawsheen compete with that?" she said.

Grams said an enrollment projection released by the schools business office in October 2000 projected 270 kids at Shawsheen during the 2002-03 school year. Shawsheen has 205 students, according to the latest numbers from the business office.

Tuttle: Impossible to finger

Tuttle, the schools business administrator, said he doesn't know how student enrollment at High Plain Elementary got so high.

"The committee did a good job with existing data. It's impossible for me to put my finger on," said Tuttle.

Tuttle recalled trying to open High Plain with more than 507 students, or 90 to 95 percent capacity.

"We wanted it to be fair. We didn't want one school to be more crowded than another," he said. Tuttle said it was a surprise that High Plain opened with as many students as it did. "I don't have an explanation," he said.

Gustus: Intended to have more at High Plain

Gustus recalls the intent of the redistricting plan differently, saying High Plain Elementary was meant to open with more students than the other elementary schools. "The new school was intended to take the extra burden because it was new. It was a conscious decision to do that," he said.

Gustus said the idea was that people wanted to be in the newer school and the newer facilities would handle a greater number of students better than smaller, older schools.

Gustus said fluctuations in enrollment are normal and always happen. "Bubbles are unavoidable," he said.

Znamierowski: Movement within town

Znamierowski said in-town movement could have affected numbers.

"Believe it or not, people do move (within) town to move to another school district," she said. Znamierowski was impressed with the redistricting committee and their work.

"They worked very, very diligently. They had a very hard task," she said.

Grams, Tuttle and Gustus all said they thought the schools should hold off on any new redistricting plans.

"I think we should give it some more time. I think the impact of it will lesson," said Tuttle.

At High Plain, O'Brien said last week that parents she has spoken to have not wanted their children to have to switch schools again.

O'Brien said she would try to find a way to accommodate the extra students in the building before considering any redistricting.

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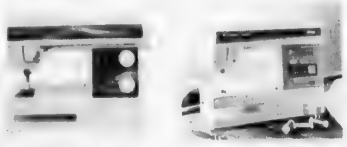

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FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

Dianne Caraviello's kindergarten class at Sanborn School learned about Diwali, the Hindu festival of lights that celebrates the start of the New Year based on the Hindu calendar. Shown here are kindergartener Sanya Gupta and her mother, Richa Gupta, who is showing the students the clay lamps that brighten the windowsills in every home during this five-day festival of lights, which began Oct. 24.

The festival honors the Hindu goddess Laksmi, the goddess of fortune and prosperity. It is believed that she visits every home during the festival. Houses are cleaned and fresh flowers are placed all around the home. Friends and families visit each other and eat lots of sweet treats. At night, there are brilliant fireworks.

Saving AHS clubs

■ **HIGH HOPES FOR FUND-RAISING EVENT**

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"My first two years at the high school I participated in the Philosophy Club, and I was kind of bummed out it wasn't going to happen this year," said Rusckowski, who is helping find auction items. "I figured if no one else was going to raise the money, I should do it myself."

The fund-raiser is the latest in several moves by the cash-strapped high school to pass costs on to families. Parking fees have risen, the district now charges high school and middle school students to ride the bus, and the parents of athletes must pay a fee.

The district has also laid off teachers and custodians, reduced other employees' work hours, and cut back physical education, health, arts, foreign languages, technology and other programs.

"Unfortunately, with all these budget cuts, parents have to do more than simply write a check or stand on the sidelines," said parent Lisa McDonald, who is helping organize the fund-raiser. "Times have changed since I was in school, that's for sure."

McDonald has helped run casino events in the past as former president of the Andona Society, which raises money for scholarships, school groups and youth activities. Ellen Travers, co-president of the high school Parent Advisory Council and a former Andona vice president, said the group made sure Anderson and Superintendent Claudia Bach approved of a casino night before going ahead with the fund-raiser.

"Since it's a totally adult, off-campus event, we figured it would be OK," she said.

One of those who will benefit is Teiko Akufo, a 16-year-old junior who is helping collect auction items out of her dedication to the school's Drama Guild, she said. She has sung and danced in four shows in the past two years, spending 15 hours a week in rehearsals for two months every semester. This fall she will be part of the cast of The Who's *Tommy*.

"In drama, the show must go on no matter what, so you learn to be very disciplined," Akufo said. "Theater boosted my self-confidence. I'm no longer as shy in front of groups of people."

She will be going to members of other clubs and asking them to donate chores for parents to buy at the auction – tasks like mowing a lawn, singing at a party or baby-sitting.

"Student fund-raising is a good idea, because it gives us a chance to get more involved," she said. "It brings out leadership qualities, and you feel your efforts are helping the schools. You can study as much as you want, but it doesn't help the fact that your school is lacking in fun."

People who would like to donate auction items are asked to call Lisa McDonald at 978-475-9397.

Donations to support the clubs may be sent to the Andover High Club Fund, 80 Shawsheen Road, Andover, 01810.

Camp teaches support, decisions

■ **CAMP KIEVE**

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year.

About 131 Wood Hill seventh-graders will attend, with only a few students not participating, said Bucco.

All LDI teachers are certified to teach in Maine and undergo criminal background checks similar to the Massachusetts Criminal Offender Registry Information (CORI) check required by Massachusetts law for anyone working with kids, said Grant.

More information can be found about Camp Kieve and the Leadership Decisions Institute online at: kieve.org.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

Here's what's for lunch in the Andover public schools next week, Nov. 3-7.

Elementary schools

Monday: Spaghetti and meat sauce, baked chicken nuggets, slice of pizza, fruit, veggie and milk.

Tuesday: No School – In Service Day

Wednesday: Hamburger on a bun with peas, baked chicken nuggets, slice of pizza, fruit, veggie and milk.

Thursday: Fish-and-chips, french toast and sausage, bakery pizza, fruit, veggie, milk and plantation cake

Friday: Fried chicken with mashed potato, corn, cranberry sauce, hot dog with french fries, mozzarella sticks, fruit, veggie and milk

Doherty Middle School

Monday: Sloppy Joes on a roll, pizza stick with soft pretzel, chicken McSchool, fruit, veggie and milk.

Tuesday: No School – In Service Day

Wednesday: Meat-filled raviolis, two toasted cheese sandwiches, bakery pizza, fruit, veggie and milk

Thursday: Barbecue rib dippers, corn dog, baked chicken nuggets, fruit, veggie, milk and pudding.

Friday: Two tacos with lettuce, stuffed crust pizza, two hot dogs with chips, fruit, veggie and milk.

Secondary schools

Monday: Sloppy Joes on a roll, macaroni and meatballs, stuffed crust pizza, fruit, veggie and milk.

Tuesday: No School – In Service Day.

Wednesday: Roast pork dinner, spaghetti and meat sauce, bagel pizza, fruit, veggie and milk.

Thursday: Chicken McSchool, meat-filled raviolis, bakery pizza, fruit, veggie and milk.

Friday: Two tacos with lettuce, baked stuffed shells, stuffed crust pizza, fruit, veggie and milk.

For prices or other information about lunches, call Karen Pappa, food services director, at 978-623-8622

E-MAIL SCHOOL NEWS: jack@andovertownsman.com

SCHOOL TALK

Stephen Shore will present a workshop on his personal experiences living with autism, Asperger syndrome, and other disorders on Wednesday, Nov. 19 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the West Middle School auditorium.

The event, sponsored by the **Special Education Parent Advisory Council** (SEPAC) and co-sponsored by the **Professional Center for Child Development**, is open to the public.

Shore was diagnosed with "atypical development with strong autistic tendencies" and was viewed as "too sick" to be treated on an outpatient basis, organizers said. Although he is now a doctoral candidate in **Boston University's** Department of Special Education, he didn't begin to speak until he was about 4 years old.

Now a sought-after speaker and the president of the **Asperger's Association of New England**, he is a staunch advocate for the proper treatment, education, and employment opportunities for people with high functioning autism or Asperger syndrome.

Shore is the author of the book *Beyond the Wall: Personal Experiences with Autism and Asperger Syndrome*, which will be on sale at the workshop.

The Four Winds Dining Room at the **Greater Lawrence Technical School** has recently opened to popular reviews from the staff and public, said **Frank S. Vacirca**, superintendent-director.

The hours of operation are:

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From left: Sandy, D.J., and Chris Gravel

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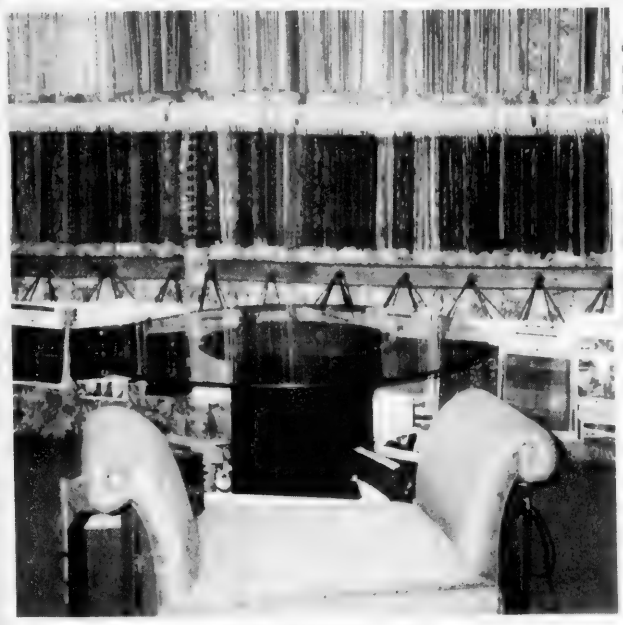

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Karen Herman
Chairperson
October 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
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Premises affected are located at 21 Pomeroy Rd., Andover, MA in an SRC District as shown on Assessor's Map 122 as Lot 33.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
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October 23 & 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition E & F Builders Inc., P.O. Box 398, N. Andover, MA for a dimensional special permit for historic preservation under Article VIII, § 7.9 to subdivide a parcel of land with an existing structure to create 3 new lots, none of which will meet dimensional requirements.

Premises affected are located at 79 North St., Andover, MA in an SRC District as shown on Assessor's Map 128 as Lot 19.

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BOARD OF APPEALS
October 23 & 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Tom Carroll, 44 Park St., Andover, MA for a special permit under Article VIII, § 5.2.5, 5.2.7.5, 5.2.12.1 to erect a free-standing, off-premise, temporary real estate sign that will exceed the maximum allowed area.

Premises affected are located at 202 Andover St., Andover, MA in an IG District as shown on Assessor's Map 138 as Lot 11.

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October 23 & 30, 2003

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NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Navid Nickpour, 55 Elm St., Andover, MA for a variance from the requirements of the Andover Zoning By-Law, § 4.1.2 and/or for a special permit under Article VIII, § 3.3.5 to allow the continued existence of a portico that does not meet dimensional requirements.

Premises affected are located at 55 Elm St., Andover, MA in an SRA District as shown on Assessor's Map 38 as Lot 240.

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October 23 & 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Mia Guerrera, P.O. Box 990, Andover, MA for a special permit under Article VIII, § 5.2.10(3) & 5.2.5 to place an external, free-standing off-premise sign.

Premises affected are located at 18 Elm St., Andover, MA in a GB District as shown on Assessor's Map 38 as Lot 118.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT (SEAL)

Case No. 292485

To **Rose Morris;** and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Greenpoint Mortgage Funding, Inc. claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Andover numbered 25 Mohawk Road given by Rose Morris to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Greenpoint Mortgage Funding, Inc. dated May 21, 2001 and registered at the Essex County (Northern District) Registry District of the Land Court as Document No. 75214 and noted on Certificate of Title No. 13342 has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the 1st day of December, 2003, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, KARYN F. SCHEIER, Chief Justice of said Court this 17th day of October, 2003

Ann-Marie J. Breuer
Deputy Recorder
October 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Michelle Ristuccia, 373 S. Main St., Andover, MA for a dimensional special permit for historic preservation under Article VIII, § 7.9 to allow the creation of new lots by modifying dimensional standards of the zoning by-law.

Premises affected are located at 373 S. Main St., Andover, MA in an SRC District as shown on Assessor's Map 81 as Lot 32.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
October 23 & 30, 2003

Commonwealth Of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate And Family Court Department ESSEX Division Docket No. 03P2567EP1

In the Estate of
ELSIE L. HARADON
AKA ELSIE COOMBS HARADON
Late of ANDOVER
In the County of ESSEX
Date of Death August 29, 2003

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that RUTH A. HARADON of STONEHAM in the County of MIDDLESEX be appointed executrix, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT SALEM, ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00 AM) ON **NOVEMBER 24, 2003.**

In addition you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating the specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16

WITNESS, HON. JOHN C. STEVENS, III ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at SALEM this day, October 20, 2003.

Pamela Casey O'Brien
Register of Probate Court
October 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Jane Axelrod, 23 Blueberry Hill Rd., Andover, MA for a variance from Article VIII, § 4.1.2 to construct a porch that will not meet dimensional requirements.

Premises affected are located at 8 Moreland Ave., Andover, MA in an SRB District as shown on Assessor's Map 60 as Lot 20.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
October 23 & 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Mary Ann & Joe Alwan, 2 Meadow View Ln., Andover, MA for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, § 4.2.4 to construct an in-ground swimming pool that will not meet zoning regulations.

Premises affected are located at 2 Meadow View Lane, Andover, MA in an SRB District as shown on Assessor's Map 92 as Lot 42.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
October 23 & 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Domenic & Louise Nicolosi, 435 North Main St., Andover, MA for a special permit under Article VIII, § 7.6.2 to convert an existing single-family dwelling into a 3-family dwelling.

Premises affected are located at 435 North Main St Andover, MA in an SRA District as shown on Assessor's Map 34 as Lots 6 & 7.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
October 23 & 30, 2003

TOWN OF ANDOVER

PUBLIC HEARING

The Town of Andover Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2003 at 7:30 P.M. in the Selectmen's Conference Room, third floor, Town Offices, Bartlet Street, for the purpose of classification and taxation of all property within the Town. Any interested taxpayer is invited to present oral or written comments

John P. Hess,
Chairman
ANDOVER BOARD OF SELECTMEN
October 23 & 30, 2003

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY ELM SQUARE ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Y-Cee Investment Trust, 59 Chandler Circle, Andover, MA for variances from the requirements of Article VIII, § 6.6.2 1.C. 6.6.2.3 & 8.1.4 to construct a childcare facility which will not meet by-law requirements

Premises affected are located at 293, & 297 Lowell St, Andover, MA in an SRC District as shown on Assessor's Map 151 as Lots 10, 11 & 14.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
October 23 & 30, 2003

TOWN OF ANDOVER PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Selectmen will conduct a public hearing on Monday, November 17, 2003 at 8:00 P.M. on the Selectmen's Conference Room, Town Offices, 36 Bartlet Street, for the purpose of discussing the Town of Andover's FY-2005 – FY2009 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM.

The recommendation for year one (FY-2005) of this five-tear plan total $7,300,000 for town and School building repair and maintenance, outdoor facilities repair and maintenance, water meter replacement, vehicle/equipment acquisition and replacement, water and sewer repair and maintenance, water meter replacement program, rehabilitation of water tanks, reconstruction of High Plain road at Fish Brook and the design for a new Senior Center

Copies of the Capital Improvement Program are available for inspection in the Town Manager's Office and Town Clerk's Office in the Town Offices and the Memorial Hall Library during business hours. All interested persons are welcome to submit their comments either in person or in writing

John P. Hess,
Chairman
ANDOVER BOARD OF SELECTMEN
October 30, 2003

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Scott D. Martin to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., dated October 31, 2001 and recorded with the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds at Book 6460, Page 278, of which mortgage Bank One, N.A., as Trustee of the Amortizing Residential Collateral Trust, 2002-BC1 is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 2:00 p.m. on November 26, 2003, on the mortgaged premises located at 3 Washington Avenue, Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage,

TO WIT:

The land with the buildings thereon, situated in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:

Easterly; by Washington Avenue, one hundred three (103) feet,

Southerly; by land now or formerly of Herbert F. Chase, seventy-five and one half (75 1/2) feet;

Westerly; by land now or formerly of Noyes, eighty-six and one thirty (86 1/3) feet; and

Northerly; by land now or formerly of Buttick, seventy-three and one-half (73 1/2) feet;

And another parcel contiguous to the westerly boundary line of the above-described parcel, bounded as follows:

Easterly; by the above-described parcel, twenty-three (23) feet;

Southerly; by land now or formerly of Herbert F. Chase, thirty-five (35) feet;

Westerly; by land now or formerly of one McFarlin, about twenty-three (23) feet; and

Northerly; by land now or formerly of one Roggerman, thirty-eight (38) feet.

For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 6460, Page 276.

These premises will be sold and conveyed subject to and with the benefit of all rights, rights of way, restrictions, easements, covenants, liens or claims in the nature of liens, improvements, public assessments, any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, tax liens, water and sewer liens and any other municipal assessments or liens or existing encumbrances of record which are in force and are applicable, having priority over said mortgage, whether or not reference to such restrictions, easements, improvements, liens or encumbrances is made in the deed.

TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance is to be paid by certified or bank check at Harmon Law Offices, P.C., 150 California Street, Newton, Massachusetts 02458, or by mail to P.O. Box 610389, Newton Highlands, Massachusetts 02461-0389, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. Deed will be provided to purchaser for recording upon receipt in full of the purchase price. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication

Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale

BANK ONE, N.A. AS TRUSTEE OF THE AMORTIZING RESIDENTIAL COLLATERAL TRUST, 2002-BC1
Present holder of said mortgage

By its Attorneys,
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In the Estate of [illegible]
[illegible]

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

[illegible]

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO [illegible] SALEM ON OR BEFORE [illegible] NOVEMBER 24, 2003.

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Commonwealth Of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate
And Family Court Department
Essex Division
Docket No. 225784P
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S ACCOUNT

[illegible] ested in the estate of FLORENCE G. HERRICK late of An- [illegible] Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the TENTH through SEVENTEENTH accounts [illegible] Court at [illegible] before the tenth day of November, 2003, [illegible]

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Commonwealth Of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate
And Family Court Department
ESSEX Division
Docket No.
03P1651AA1

In the Estate of RUTH ALICE SHARPE AKA RUTH A. SHARPE
Late of ANDOVER
In the County of ESSEX
Date of Death [illegible]

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR WITH THE WILL ANNEXED

[illegible] of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT SALEM ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00 AM) ON NOVEMBER 17, 2003.

In addition you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. JOHN C. STEVENS III, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at SALEM [illegible]

Pamela Casey O'Brien, Register of Probate Court

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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at THE HALL, SECOND FLOOR in MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, November 6, 2003 at 7:00 P.M. on the petition Chateau Restaurant of Andover, Inc., 195 School St., Waltham MA 02451 for a variance from the requirements of Art. [illegible] to [illegible]

Premises affected are located at 128 River Rd., Andover, MA in an ID District as shown on Assessor Map 165 as Lot 1E.

DANIEL S. CASPER
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
October [illegible], 2003

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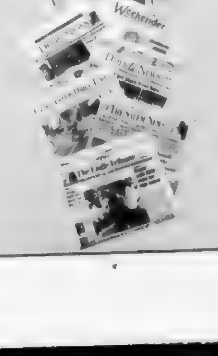

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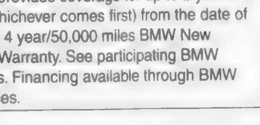

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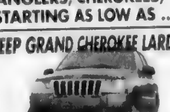
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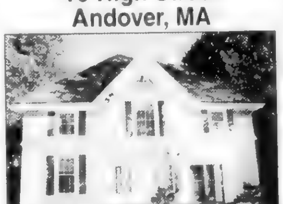

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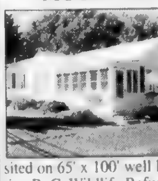

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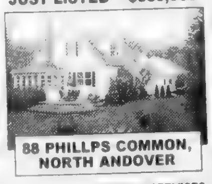
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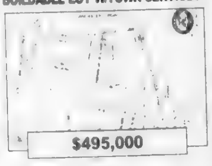
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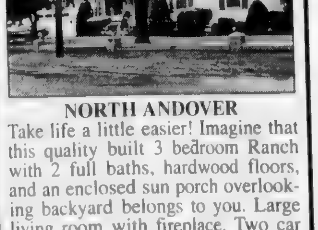

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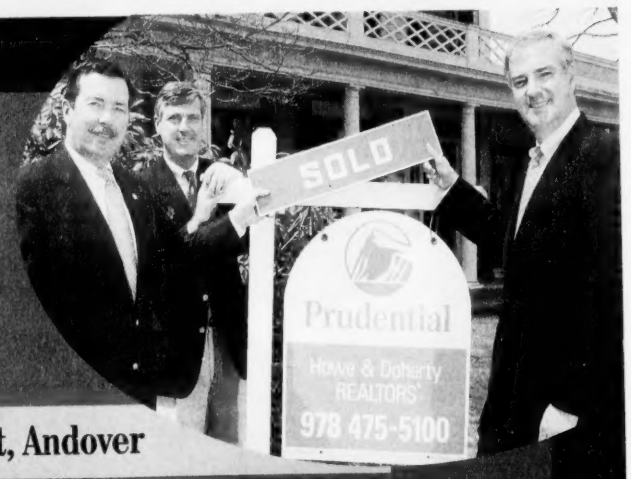

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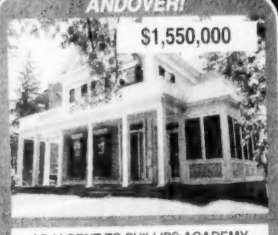
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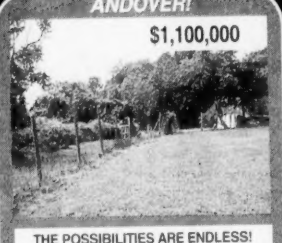
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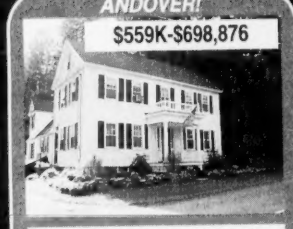
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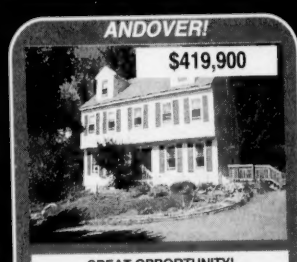
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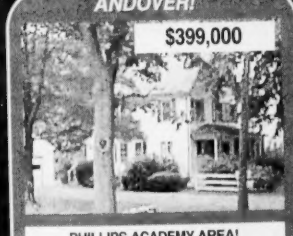
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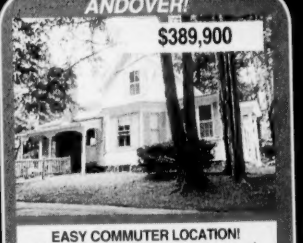
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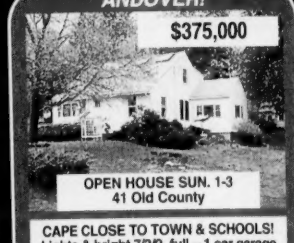
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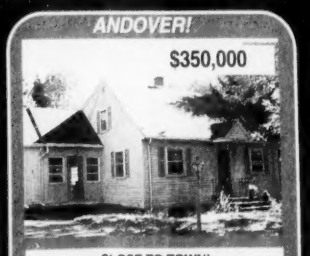
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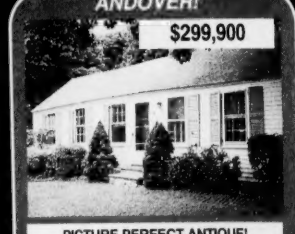
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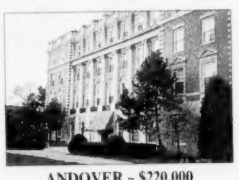

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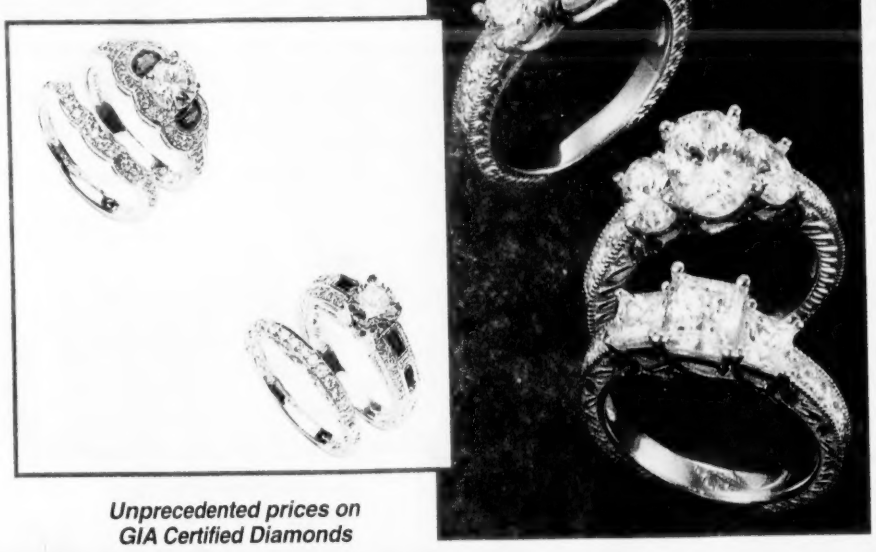

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